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LITERATURE.

A SAD AWAKENING.

The setting sun, with rosy rays,
Is tinting all the west,
And his last beams with golden light
Upon a maiden rest—

A maiden fair, whose calm, wide brow
Bespeaks the thoughtful mind;
Whose bright eyes say, from out the depth,
Within you'll genius find.

Her cheek is resting on her hand;
Her face is all aglow;
Her brain is throbbing with the thoughts
That swiftly come and go.

"I will!" at length the maiden cries—
"I'll scale the heights of fame;
I'll win—or in the struggle die—
A great, undying name.

"I'll soar as high as Dryden soared;
I'll stand where Irving stood;
I'll wear the crown that Pope has worn;
I'll walk the path of Hood."

She stood erect in conscious pride,
With dauntless soul and will,
While genius' glow suffused her face,
And eyes grew brighter still.

And now a sound the stillness break—
Soft tones that greet her ear:
"O can it be the voice of fame?"
She stoops, she stoops, to hear.

List! list! the echoes bear it on—
O is it what she wishes?
"Samanthy Jane! 'tis six o'clock—
Come down and wash the dishes!"

GETTING AN ENDORSER.

My friend, Frank Howard, was a dry goods dealer. When I made his acquaintance, he was one of the most active and successful salesmen in the trade, and being a prudent man, had saved a small sum of money, with which and the credit he might be able to obtain, he proposed to commence business on his own account.

Among his acquaintances he had the good fortune to include a wealthy merchant, whose judgment had led him to form a lofty estimate of the business capacity of my friend.

To him the young aspirant for mercantile honors stated his case, and the conference ended in a voluntary proposition on the part of the merchant to supply the goods necessary to stock his store, taking his notes, the first of which would fall due in one year, in payment.

The arrangement was completed, and in a few days Frank found himself installed in a convenient store to strike for his fortune.

The notes had not been signed, and one evening, on some business connected with them, Frank called, by appointment, at the princely mansion of his worthy benefactor. He was ushered into the sitting room, where the merchant was reading the evening paper. By his side sat a beautiful young lady, to whom his patron politely introduced him.

My friend belonged to that anomalous class of beings styled "handsome men;" at least the ladies all said he was handsome, though for the life of me I never could tell wherein his beauty consisted. But as I have no particular fancy for masculine beauty, it may have escaped my notice, or the natural selfishness of mankind may have prejudiced my judgment.

My friend was acknowedged by all the ladies to be a remarkably handsome man; and, probably, this was the secret of his immense success as a salesman. Whether he reckoned his beauty as one of the items of his stock in trade, when he went into business, I am unable to say; but I have not the least doubt he based his hopes of success, to a great extent, upon the influence of his prepossessing personal appearance.

Frank fixed his eyes on the young lady, as the merchant, who had, when he entered, half read a money article in his paper, turned to finish it. Miss Allen—such was the name by which she had been presented to him—was busily engaged in crocheting a little silk purse, and as she bent over the work, Frank was perfectly satisfied that he had never seen so pretty a face in his life.

And then the neatest, most graceful little foot in the world protruded from beneath a light silk dress—a foot which completely turned Frank's head, so that he forgot all about the notes and the merchant.

Without the least regard to etiquette, politeness, good breeding, and all that sort of thing, he stared mercilessly at her, and never, for even the fraction of a moment, removed his gaze, not even allowing himself the luxury of winking, lest the time so employed should be lost.

Frank was perfectly sure that he had never before felt exactly as he did at that halcyon moment. It seemed as though all the divinities of paradise were concentrated in the fair form before him, as though he had been transplanted to an Elysium of love.

And the maiden was not altogether unmoved. The embryo merchant several times detected her in the act of stealing a glance at him through the long fringing eyelashes that adorned her peerless brow. He plainly saw her blush; saw her bosom heave with a flutter as she caught his earnest gaze.

Frank Howard was a handsome man; and somehow or other, men and women who are favored in this respect always contrive to find it out. Frank knew that he was a handsome man, and never in his life did he more devoutly thank his stars, which had given him personal beauty, than at this particular moment.

The lady had already found out that he was handsome, and if the stupid fellow had not stared so furiously at her, she would no doubt have done the same thing he was doing.

Mr. Allen finished the money article, and laid down the paper. Frank has owned to me that he wished it had been twice, or even four times as long.

The details of the business were discussed, and the papers drawn. While it was in progress, Frank more than once detected the beautiful fairy in the act of looking at him; several times detected her in the very act of blushing, when their eyes met.

The business was finished at last, much to the regret of my handsome friend, who, when he got into the street, went straightway into a fit of abstraction. It was all up with poor Frank; he had fallen in love—was stark, staring mad in love—with whom he knew not, for it was well known that Mr. Allen had no daughter. She was a relative, however, for she bore his name.

But if Frank was in love, there was some consolation in the fact, that the fair creature who had stolen his heart was in the same predicament.

The next day, she came a shopping at his store, and the next, and the next; indeed, almost every day. No conversation had passed between them; and, though he had been introduced on the evening of his visit, he had been too much overwhelmed to use words.

My friend, however, did not lack that necessary element of a successful wooer, somewhat vulgarly termed "spunk." He had no further business with the merchant; but then his case was a desperate one, and he made an errand.

Miss Allen blushed as he entered, but she was social and agreeable to the last degree, so much so that Frank staid till the bells rung for nine o'clock before he knew it. The ice was broken, and my friend was in for it.

The lady was a neice of the merchant, twenty-one years of age, and an heiress. In the course of a few months, Frank's energy won the victory, and it was understood that they were engaged.

The merchant did not like it. Being somewhat exclusive in his ideas of social intercourse, the prospective marriage of his wealthy neice to a poor retailer was repugnant to the last degree, and he resolved to thwart the purpose of the loving couple.

At first, he appealed to the lady; but she only laughed at him; told him bluntly that she loved Mr. Howard, and with Frank oh his ingratitude to him, his benefactor. The young man was touched, and promised to consider it.

He did consider it, and his loving *inamorata* helped him consider it. After a hasty deliberation, it was unanimously agreed to lay the whole matter "on the table."

Mr. Allen was informed of the decision, and as old fogies always do when they cannot do anything else, bit his lip and swallowed his words, fully resolved to do something dreadful, whenever an opportunity occurred.

A year after my friend went into business, as I passed his store one morning, I was not a little surprised to find it closed. Before the window was that ominous white cloth, denoting that the occupant had failed.

I entered the store. Frank stood at his desk, glancing with a most woe-begone aspect at the pages of his ledger.

"How's this, Frank?" I asked; and I never was more surprised in my life.

"Bu'st up! don't you see?" replied he, rather petulantly.

"But what does it mean?"

"Mean! Why, that I had a note of a thousand dollars, due yesterday, which I could not pay; and this morning early, my amiable friend, Mr. Allen, put in a keeper—that's all."

"How does it happen? I thought you were doing a rushing business."

"So I was. I had the money to pay this note six weeks ago, and let Smith have it at two per cent. a month," replied he, with a ghastly smile.

"And Smith has failed?"

"Not exactly. He has stopped; but every body says he is good, if he has time to turn himself."

"And you must make a fall of it in the meantime?"

"If I could only stave off Mr. Allen a couple of months, I could get out of the scrape with flying colors."

"Won't he wait?"

Frank shook his head; he had mortally offended the proud merchant, and there was no prospect that he would be lenient in the slightest degree.

"Can't you raise the money?"

"No; times haven't been so hard for four years. Everybody is failing, and the money men wont trust their own fathers."

At this moment Mr. Allen entered the store. He looked stern and severe, like one who has the power in his own hands, and is disposed to use it. I seated myself near the desk, as he approached.

The merchant politely saluted the unfortunate dealer, smiling as blandly as though nothing had happened; as though he had no neice, and Frank were a Stoic.

"Mr. Howard, this is unfortunate; but in the midst of so much commercial disaster, you perceive that it was my only course," said the merchant soothingly.

"I suppose it was; but you know the cause of my inability to pay the note," returned Frank, with a doleful expression.

"Ah, young man, you ought not to have lent the money to Smith; if you had asked my advice, I could have told you better."

"Smith was always supposed to be good."

The merchant shook his head.

"But, Mr. Allen, give me a short time, and I can pay the note. Smith assures me he shall recover himself."

"Mr. Howard, I certainly wish you well; I have done all I could to give you a fair start."

"So you have, sir, and I am very grateful to you."

"Are you?" and the merchant fixed a keen glance upon the young man.

"I assure you that I am."

"How have you manifested it, sir?" continued the merchant, sternly. "But no matter; we meet now as business men."

"Well, what shall be done? You have stopped me! I can do no more."

"I don't wish to be hard. I would wait if prudence would justify it," said Mr. Allen, who was keenly sensitive in regard to his reputation for generosity and fairness.

In fact, he was a man of good feelings, and only that he meant to punish Frank for falling in love with his wealthy niece, would not have disturbed him.

"You will be just as secure two months hence as now," pleaded Frank.

"I have not that confidence in you, Mr. Howard,—I say it frankly,—which I had once. You have lost a thousand dollars. I doubt if your stock, under the hammer, would pay my notes."

Frank looked savage, for though he was crestfallen, he was Frank Howard yet, and felt keenly the unjust imputation of the merchant.

"I wish to be fair, and even indulgent," continued Mr. Allen, before Frank had time to utter the ungracious sentiment that rose to his lips. "Here is the note; give me one good indorser, and I will wait two months."

Frank looked up, and smiled in contempt at the miserable subterfuge of the merchant, who meant to crush him, and still preserve an appearance of fairness. He knew it would be impossible for the young man, with his stock encumbered, to procure the security.

"Will you take Smith?" asked Frank, hurriedly.

"Of course not," replied Mr. Allen, with a bland smile.

"I will see what can be done; but I think the case is hopeless."

The merchant withdrew, assured in his own mind that his revenge was sure, and his reputation safe, at the same time.

ter, but we could think of no person whose milk of human kindness was sufficiently abundant to prompt him to do such an insane act. While we were debating the matter, Frank was struck up by the entrance of Miss Allen.

"How gloomy you look here to-day, Frank," said she, laughing, and showing in the act the prettiest row of teeth I ever saw.

"We are gloomy, indeed," replied Frank, mustering a sickly smile. "But you know the reason?"

"Why, what reason?" asked she, her merry expression relapsing into a serious one.

"You see that man?"

"Yes."

"He is a keeper!" replied Frank, with tragic effect.

"A keeper! of what? Are you insane?" responded the lady, playfully; for it must be confessed she was not acquainted with the technicalities of business.

Frank laughed, and explained the disaster which had overtaken him.

"Poh!" exclaimed she, with an appearance of relief; and I really believe, if the keeper and myself had not been in the way, she would have thrown her arms around his neck, and kissed away his mortification.

I had before been introduced to the lady, and at this moment advanced to join in the conversation.

"And my uncle is the wretch?" continued she, merrily. "But what can you do? How can you get out of it?"

Frank explained the proposition to procure an indorser for the note. The light-hearted maiden appeared to have but little sympathy for the misfortunes of her lover, and asked all sorts of questions about indorsers, notes, and business forms.

"Where is the note you are to have indorsed?" asked she.

"Mr. Allen has it."

"How can you have it indorsed, then?"

"I can write another," replied Frank, smiling at the innocence of his betrothed.

"Then write one," said she, promptly.

Frank looked at her a moment, to ascertain what mischief was lurking in her mind. She smiled, apparently without the power to prevent it.

The lover, impelled by curiosity as much as any other motive, wrote the note and signed it.

"Now how do you indorse it?" asked she.

"By writing the name across the back."

The lady approached the desk, and turning the note, wrote, with two dashes of the pen, "Isabel Allen," across it.

"It is indorsed," said she, with a smile, which told Frank all she meant.

"But, Isabel——"

"Good morning, Frank," interrupted she, and hastened out of the store.

"Bravo, Frank!" exclaimed I.

He smiled doubtfully. His pride was a little touched.

"Would you use it?" said he, after a long pause.

"Use it? to be sure!" and he did use it.

In the afternoon Mr. Allen called, satisfied in his own mind that he should witness the complete humiliation of the young man, who had had the audacity to fall in love with an heiress. Knowing at what hour he would call, I was careful to be present.

"Well, Mr. Howard, how have you succeeded? I have really been in hopes you will be able to secure the paper," said the merchant; and I could plainly discern the malicious chuckle on his face as he spoke.

"I *have* succeeded, Mr. Allen; and I am infinitely obliged to you for your good will."

The merchant was completely staggered at the reply. It was wholly unexpected, and wholly unwelcome also.

"I trust you have procured a good one," said he, painfully.

"A wealthy one, but a name unknown on Change."

"Can't take it, then," answered the merchant, promptly, and with renewed hope.

"But a name well known to you!" and Frank handed him the note.

Mr. Allen started bank in surprise and anger, as he read the name of the fair indorser.

"Very well, sir; when a man of any delicacy can resort to such a trick as this, I have nothing more to do with him." And the crestfallen merchant, after throwing the old note on the counter, hastened indignantly from the store.

The keeper was withdrawn, and Frank heard no more from Mr. Allen. A week after Smith paid the money, and Frank took up his note.

Before another of the notes came due, Isabel Allen had become Mrs. Frank Howard. The stock and stand were sold out, the debts paid, and my handsome friend is as happy as a beautiful wife, with a heart full of love, can make him.

HIS BUSINESS PRINCIPLES.

About 1 o'clock yesterday a citizen who was passing through the Central Market was halted by a gone-to-seed stranger, who said:

"Sir, I want to raise money to establish a large college in this city—one fully equal to Harvard or Yale. Can you invest ten cents?"

The citizen asked for further particulars, and finally handed out the small sum. The stranger walked directly to a saloon and bought a thumping big drink for himself, when the citizen jostled his elbow and said:

"Aren't you about two-thirds fraud and the rest dead-beat?"

"No, sir! No, sir!" was the emphatic response. "I claim to be honest and upright."

"How about that college? Didn't I give you ten cents toward its establishment?"

"You did, sir."

"And you have spent it for drink?"

"I have, sir, but let me explain. My business principles are as firmly fixed as the laws of nature. Whenever I set out to establish a college I always drink ten cents worth of whiskey to nerve me up and encourage me. I am sixty-four years old, and I have never departed from this rule in a single instance. I have had my drink, have maintained my business principles, and now I'll go out and establish the college. Do you know of an eligible site containing about one hundred acres of rolling ground?"

POKING FUN AT THE QUACKS.

An apothecary in England wrote to a brother once in this wise: "My patients are rather select than numerous, but I think the red lamps and brass plates may attract a few. I had a glorious case of dislocation of the shoulder last week, and nearly pulled the fellow in halves, with the assistance of two or three bricklayers who were building next door. The other doctor tried first and couldn't reduce it, because he had no bricklayers at hand. This has got my name up—immense. They are terrible Goths down here, though. You can scarcely conceive the extent of their ignorance.—Not one in twenty can read or write; so all my dispensing labels, which I tie with red tape on the bottles, are quite thrown away. A small female toddled into the surgery the other day, and horrified me by drawling out:—"If you please, sir, mother's tooken the lotion and rubbed her leg with the mixture!"

This might have been serious, for the lotion contained a trifle of poison; but Jack and I started off directly; and as it happened very luckily to be washing-day, we drenched the stupefied woman with soap-suds and pearlash until everything was thrown off from the stomach, including, of course, a considerable quantity of the lining membrane. This taught me that a medical man should always have his instruments in order, for if Jack had not borrowed my stomach-pump to squirt at the cats with, a good deal of bother might have been avoided. But he is a clever fellow at heart and would do anything for me. He actually lived on the ice during the frost, tripping everybody up he came near; and, whether he injured them or not, I know his will was good, and was, therefore, much obliged to him!"

OLD LADY.—"Now which be the President?"

DAUGHTER.—"The man with no hat on."

"Ha! But where is his cabinet?"

"Why, in them coaches behind."

"I don't see nothing like a cabinet. I see men, but no chest o' drawers!"

Whittlings.

— Grim visaged war takes his seat on an Ottoman.

— A highly prized Newfoundland dog in Wakefield, after tugging at his muzzle to get it off, became despondent and soon after jumped into a pond and drowned himself.

— A romantic girl says she would like to see one of those Bashful-Bazouks.

— John Mantle, employed to investigate mail robberies in Arizona, was recently caught leading a gang that rifled a stage.

— Green apples are now coming from Georgia, and what the South could not kill at Bull Run she intends to kill now.

— The State of Kentucky pays a dollar for a fox's scalp, and this year nearly all the taxes in Adair county have been paid with scalps.

— Always speak well of the dead, and once in a while edge in a good word for the living, if you have the time.

— A man at Pawlet, Vt., recently lost fourteen cows, which broke into his potato field and ate vines that had been annointed with kerosene to keep off the bugs.

— Even if a boy is always whistling, "I want to be an angel," it is just as well to keep the preserved pears on the top shelf of the pantry.

— The Count of Abrial, whose father was a peer of France, and whose grandfather was a Senator under Napoleon, is head waiter at a Paris cafe, and his daughter is cashier.

— A western woman having been spoken of as "having one foot in the grave," a wicked journalist remarks that there must be a big hole out there somewhere.

— Greenbacks are the favorite currency in the Black Hills. They are worth $11 more on the hundred dollars than gold dust.

— What will recompense a woman whose baby falls off the bed and scrapes his nose on the zinc the very day she wants to enter him for the first prize in a baby show?

— In New Haven there are said to be 2000 udoccupied buildings, one-half being stores, and the people [illegible]

— The only things that go best when they are thoroughly tired are wheels.

— In Chicago what was called a butterflies' ball yielded $2000 to a charity. The entertainment consisted of dancing, tableaux, and pantomime by very small children, gorgeously winged like butterflies.

— To the cultivated and naturally delicate musical ear there is nothing more disagreeable than to have a hand-organ woman pause in the middle of a bar and let go of the crank to replace a hair-pin.

— Torpedo balloons, to float over an enemy's cities and drop a torpedo by means of electricity, is the latest suggestion for destruction. It is thought a city could be totally destroyed in this way by dropping sufficient nitro-glycerine.

— A very precise person speaking of Shakspeare's assertion that "the good men do is oft interred with their bones," observes that this interment can generally take place without crowding the bones.

— There is a church in Berlin where the hearts of deceased members of the Prussian royal family are kept in silver urns. They are behind a railing, and an inscription is upon each urn, denoting the name of the former possessor, his birth, death, &c.

— A western speaker raised a sad smile by reading, with solemn intonation, "Do men gather thorps of grains or thigs of fistles."

— Farms can be bought in Maine for less than the cost of buildings and fences, and yet farming is profitable.

— A bachelor says of his lodging-room, that if he had a better-half he might have better quarters.

— The United States army has had since 1775 only fifteen commanders-in-chief.

— An Indiana farmer recently put up notices on his farm, which read, "No hunting on this farm." A short time afterward he read, "No. 1 hunting on this farm."

— The egg business amounts in New York to over eight million dollars in a year.

— Girls have their sorrows and their troubles, but nothing is more humiliating than to be beaten at croquet by a girl who still wears her last year's rigging.

"It was at the critical moment of the battle," said an orator, in an impassioned burst of eloquence, "when the Wuke of Dellington—I mean the Delk of Wullington—I should say when the Welk of Dulington—that is, when the Dule of Welkington at the Wottle of Batterloo—er um——". And then, somehow, the passage appeared to be so badly mangled that he didn't think it would pay to repair it.

How often we find a man who will pay several dollars for a box of cigars without question, who will stare for ten straight minutes at the item, "To one piece of dress braid, ten cents," in a dry goods bill that his trembling wife hands him.

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LETTER FROM THE VINEYARD.

VINEYARD GROVE, June 3d.

Dear Mr. Editor:

It is just possible that there may be somewhere on the face of the earth a place more delightful than our "cottage city by the sea," but it would be difficult to find it. The pure ocean air, mellowed by the Gulf Stream, has none of the harshness or chill that detracts so much from the pleasure of out of door life in other seaside resorts. It is just bracing enough and is so sweet and soft that it is a treat to breathe it.

The cottages are fast filling up with their summer residents. One familiar face after another greets us with smiles and we rejoice in the Vineyard etiquette which speaks to everybody. Money values are left in the great world on the main land, and we each pass for what we are worth in ourselves. There is society enough to prevent loneliness and it is so peaceful and quiet on all sides that we are inclined to wish that the big crowds were not sure to come.

The religious meetings are large and have not lost the revival interest of the last winter. They are so numerously attended that the Tabernacle is to be raised this week to accommodate them.

Only a few of of the Hotels are yet open. The Central House is the nearest to us. It is offering its usual attractions to guests. There is no better place to go to if one is hungry. And if one has no appetite, a look at the complete bill of fare and the tables is enough to make one eat.

I made a public address from the preacher's stand in the Tabernacle yesterday. I had not a large audience, it being limited to one young lady, but I fancied myself one of the eloquent women of this latter day and imagined the empty seats filled with appreciative hearers. Like Mr. Toots I felt it in me to make a fine speech, if I could only get a start. But failing to get the necessary impetus I was obliged to dismiss my congregation. She immediately dispersed.

Trinity Park looks a little deserted; we miss the merry croquet players and the steady click of the mallets. There are innumerable birds singing in the trees and the soft air is vibrant with melody. I fear that some of these birds differ from those described by Dr. Watts, who "*in* their little nests agree." They certainly do not agree when they meet outside.

There are many improvements being made on all sides. The pretty cottages are being painted and decorated anew. If only some good generous soul would fix up my "little hut among de bushes" free of expense to me! Heigh ho! It is sad to reflect that although my well wishers are as plenty as May bugs I shall be obliged to pay —. My feelings will not permit me to complete the sentence.

Hark! A fiddle! There is music on all sides. If one has the least melody in the heart it bubbles over at the lips here. But [illegible] to give all the charming details of our Vineyard life. Come and see it for yourselves.

H. C. GARDINER.

DAYBREAK FROM THE WINDOW OF A SHOE-FACTORY.

Everything from a rotten egg to a savings bank may break, although the break may not always, as in these two instances, be supplemented with a pungent perfume. The disruption of one ring breaks the entire chain, and there is only one fragmentary chain that never has been broken—the chain of evolution with its eternally "missing link." A man breaks his leg and it stops him, and he takes to an easy chair as naturally and persistently as a custom house official; but with a broken heart he keeps about his business until he dies of old age.

Day breaks like nothing else under the sun; it isn't "the last straw" that does it, it is unannounced by snap or bang and the more it breaks the more complete it becomes; witness Scripture, "brighter and brighter unto the perfect day." It breaks nowhere alike; we have heard that on the scalp lock of Mount Blanc it breaks superbly; we believe it without going to the expense of flourishing our tomahawk above the brow of that hoary giant of the Alps. In mid-ocean and in mid-air, from the masthead and the balloon basket, that the breaking was beautiful we never have enviously denied; we accept these statements with a quiet complacence not unlike that of our fair lady friend, who, with plenty to wear and nothing to do, snores 'till 9 A. M.

But, how does it break on a shoe factory? "Let us see." So saying we sought our accustomed place of labor at four o'watch. (Why not? What's the use of always calling the shining hours after a dusty, pitchpine, nine-shilling time piece on the kitchen mantel, when you have a full-jeweled five-hundred-dollar gold chronometer nestling against the very centre of your heart. Yes, four o'watch.)

Walking to the factory while a million birds, or less, turn all the trees into living organs playing the tunes that Adam heard, the air fragrant with the aroma of grape blossoms and new-mown hay, as delicious to the palate as sliced strawberries direct from a trade iceberg, we found to be an experience compared with which riding, as President of the United States, through the dingy streets of a crowded city, is mighty small potatoes, and covered with Colorado beetles, at that.

From four to five the bird songs gradually melt Heavenward into the blue silence, giving place to the sound of approaching wheels; looking out from the factory window, and calling to mind the proverb that "cleanliness is next to godliness," you discover a most appropriate approach; right righteously, as well as gloriously, is the day breaking. Nature's matin worship is ended and like a benediction the soap pedler rolls up the eastern slopes.

About five the advance guards of the great army of Labor come straggling in and one by one hammer into the atmosphere so recently resonant with bird-music the heavy diapason of industry. A half past six, heavy teams, loaded with workmen from neighboring towns, roll rattling up to the front entrance; the street grows populous with people bearing dinners tin-pailed, while the driver of a Cut River fish market on wheels, drowns all other sounds with the lung-thunder of "Buy a lob! Buy a lob! Make a hill! Make a hill! Fresh make a hill!" Just as you are preparing to start out to cram a lob down his thundering throat and make a hill over his mortal remains, the steam whistle—the only thing that can outblow this breezy son of the sea—sends its shrill shriek into the air, gives an extra hoot or two,—belts and shafting commence to revolve and two hundred and fifty men, branded with the sinewy insignia of the grand Order of Toil, divinely curse-instituted six thousand years ago, practically exemplify the remark of the Orthodox deacon, who, rolling up his sleeves of a Monday morning, said to his fellow laborers:—"Well, here we all are again after another dollar."

And this how day breaks on a shoe factory.

Attest, L. D. P.

TOWN AND VICINITY.

The Fourth.

Independence Day opened with a most unpromising aspect of weather—all indications pointing to continuance of rain through the day. The showers of the early morning, however, did not abate the ardor of the juvenile subjects of Uncle Sam, and explosives of different calibre (among which the lusty torpedoes manufactured by Mr. Walter Trott were particularly resonant,) aroused the more sedate residents from their slumbers, who sprang from their beds with the old time exclamation, "How fortunate it is that the 4th of July comes only once a year!" The tooting of horns and the beat of drum about 4 A. M. indicated the assemblage of "merry makers" who had arranged a procession of antique and horrible characters at East Weymouth; pedestrians and equestrians were soon hurrying from all parts of the town to witness the pageant, particulars of which will be found among the East Weymouth items. At 6 A. M. the church bells and the tintinnabulary attachments of the engine houses rang out a patriotic peal, while a mortar blazed away in ear-splitting cadences. The enthusiasm died out with the exhaustion of the muscles of the bell-ringers and the stock of powder of the gunners, and during the forenoon all was quiet on the streets.

An occasional drizzle of rain did not deter parties which had been made up for excursions to the shore from setting forth, and the nice teams of the expressmen were seen winding their way to the sea-side resorts, laden with excursionists. A good number of residents also embarked on the cars for a visit to Silver Lake, where a grand temperance mass meeting was held, with addresses by many distinguished advocates of the cause. The yachtmen, too, were all alive, and with "a wet sheet and a flowing sea" sailed over the specified course of the Quincy Yacht Club, the "Folly," Capt. J. H. Sheppard, of East Braintree, distancing her competitor in the first class, the "Secret," Capt J. Binney, by a minute or two.

The prominent local event of the day was the entertainment given on the Fair Grounds at South Weymouth by the Weymouth Agricultural and Industrial Society, comprising a meeting of noted horses owned in this vicinity and other portions of the State, for a trial of speed on the track. The large number of thirty-two horses were entered for the meeting, but the unfavorable weather of the early part of the day deterred the owners of horses at distant points from participating, and but few of the number entered were present. The clearing weather at noon presaged an auspicious afternoon, and as the clouds rapidly rolled away, and the sun beamed forth brightly, vehicles of every kind and in large numbers were soon converging from all quarters of the town toward the centre of attraction, and the grounds again presented a scene of animation and gayety. Stetson's Weymouth Band had been engaged to furnish music for the afternoon and escorted the Tilden and Braintree Base Ball Clubs to the ball ground, the judges of the races in the meantime making ready for the opening trot, which was in the three minute class. For this race Granite Boy, owned by T. H. McDonnell, of Quincy, Mystery, owned by John Ney, of Dedham, Dandy, owned by G. L. Thacher, of Boston, and Puss Butler, owned by Albert Tirrell, Esq., President of the Society, were started—Mystery having the pole, Granite Boy second, Dandy third, and Puss Butler fourth. From the start it was evident that Granite Boy, (who was handled in good style by Mr. J. Wilkins, of Braintree,) was the 'better horse," and the Boy trotted the first heat in 2.47, Mystery being second, Dandy third, and Puss Butler fourth. In the second heat Puss Butler was withdrawn, and the three other horses trotted the two heats with the same result as in the first heat, Granite Boy taking the first prize of $20, Mystery the second of $12 and Dandy the third of $8.

In the 2.50 minute class J. Wilkins, of Braintree, brought up his five year old "Juryman;" G. Baxter, of Boston, "Polly;" John Collins, of Allston, "St. Johns;" and L. B. Brockway, of Boston, "Doubtful." At the start Polly was closely pressed by Juryman, but an extended break of the latter threw him to the rear of all the horses, but regaining the proper pace, Juryman struck out in a gait which carried the horse to the second position, and the three heats were run in the same order, Polly taking the first prize of $25, Juryman the second of $15, and Doubtful the third of $10.

The 2.45 class trot was an animated one, the President of the Society introducing his fine animal, "Red Rover," in opposition to the roan mare "Juno," owned by G. L. Thacher, of Boston, and "Slippery Dan," owned by J. Ney, of Dedham. Mr. Dan W. Barrows, of South Weymouth, took the ribbons with Red Rover, and after a few scorings the word was given, and the animals went under the line at a spanking gait, Slippery Dan soon being "left out in the cold," and the interest centered on the gelding and roan, who were neck and neck at second quarter. The excitement was intense as they rushed up to the last quarter stretch, and as Dan shoved the Rover under the line a half length ahead of the square gaited Juno, he was heartily cheered. The second half mile of the stretch was attended with similar interest, and as a closely contested trot was one of the best ever witnessed on the grounds. Red Rover defeated his competitor in the two following heats, the time being 2.46, 2.47½, 2.48, Juno being second and Slippery Dan third. The prizes were $40, $25 and $15. This was the first victory of the President's horse on the Park in a public trot, and appeared to give general satisfaction to the assemblage.

While the trotting was going on, the rival Base Ball Clubs were surrounded by a ring of interested spectators, who loudly applauded their favorite club when some masterly feat of "skunking" or "home running" was in order, and for about two hours the two clubs gallantly contested for the honor of the prize of $40 awarded by the Society to the victor. The eighth inning of the Tildens, however, defeated the Braintrees, the score being five for Tildens to four for the Braintrees—both clubs showing much skill and science in the various phases of the game.

The Band furnished an abundant "concord of sweet sounds" during the afternoon, much to the gratification of the ladies and gents who honored the Society with their attendance, and the refreshment tables in the Hall, under charge of the lessees, Messrs. Francis Fearing and B. F. Whitman, were liberally patronized.

The receipts of the entertainment footed up $446, including $16 for lease of hall. There were about 1500 visitors on the grounds, and the number of carriages is estimated to be nearly 500. The expenses were about $355.

Examination.

The public examination of the Mt. Pleasant Grammar School, under the instruction of Mr. J. W. Armington, took place Friday, the 28th of June, a large number of friends being present to witness the results of the last year's labors. The room was very tastefully decorated with flags, fine pictures, and oak leaves festooned around the sides of the room, and beautiful flowers adorned the place, sending forth their sweet fragrance to greet the welcome visitor.

The exercises opened with a march, performed on the organ by one of the pupils, the others marching to its enlivening strains a short time and thence to their seats.

The proceedings were varied with music, declamations and readings, and were performed in a very satisfactory manner, also the ease and freedom with which the pupils handled their subjects of discourse, showed that they were perfectly at home in their studies. And while listening to these we also had an opportunity to observe the drawings which were exhibited before us, showing that talent of no small degree existed among the youthful aspirants of the place, and that some of them were already quite proficient in the art.

Mr. A. has pursued his course with an untiring zeal in his endeavors to enable the pupils to present themselves as succesful candidates for a higher course, and has sought with much patience and courage to enrich their minds with knowledge not laid down in the text books, which proves a very effectual means of interesting the scholar, and his success in the preceding years has gained for him a high reputation as instructor at the present time, and we sincerely hope that he will be as successful in the future.

And as one of the speakers truthfully remarked, that the Landing always had ranked high in scholarship, notwithstanding the small number of graduates at the High School the present year, we think that this exhibition has given good proof that it will hold its own in the future.

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Lines written for the closing examination of the Mt. Pleasant Grammar School, June, 1877.

'Tis one short year since last we met,
Although a different spot;
Many of these faces you then saw,
I trust, you none forgot.

Your influence here, is spread around,
Your presence, too, we kindly greet,
Endeavoring each to do our part,
May you your expectations meet.

One favor here, I ask of you,
Is this, that when you criticise,
Remember should we see more years,
That we may be more wise.

Perchance some of the golden hours,
As swiftly by they flew,
Improved, they may not all have been,
Without some end, or aim, in view.

'Tis no light task, our teacher has,
Inquiring minds to fill,
And striving in his own firm way,
To govern, by his will.

This saying, oft', I've heard remarked,
"Just as the twig is bent, the tree's inclined,"
A truthful one, pray let me add,
May we all bear in mind.

These doors are open wide to all
Who seek to enter in,
Here knowledge teaches us so clear,
To shun a path of sin.

Our youthful days are passed away
In seeking knowledge true,
Our fathers and our mothers toiled,
To climb the hill of science too.

This life's a checkered one at best,
And chance and change must come to each,
Learning, as we pass along,
The lessons, experiences teach.

Sometimes the sun shines, sometimes not,
And clouds are threatening dark,
'Tis then that we resources seek
To guide our fragile bark.

Each cloud a silver lining has
I hear a promise ringing clear,
You'll see a brighter day.

As down the stream of life we float,
We'll meet with many a snag,
And disappointments, stinging deep,
Perhaps, our energies may flag.

But cruel and relentless time,
Is speeding on its way,
So we must seize the golden hours,
Improving rightly every day.

For time and tide wait for no man
To rest in pleasure's bowers,
We'll gather the roses as we go,
The loveliest of flowers.

The dollar is a friend in need,
I must acknowledge, too,
Providing well the staff of life,
And luxuries not a few.

But add to this our knowledge rich,
The two, work well together,
Through intricacies winding deep,
Whatever wind, or weather.

But banks may break, and mines blow up,
And riches fly away,
Our ship may never enter port,
Then knowledge comes in play.

And may we never here forget,
Midst all this toil and strife,
To thank our Heavenly Father
For the blessings of this life.

Now, friends and teacher, one and all,
Our thanks to you are given,
Our future lives may separate,
But may we meet in Heaven.

J. M. N.

A Strawberry Festival

Was held in the vestry of the Catholic Church, Weymouth Landing, last Saturday evening, a large number attending. The amount taken at the door was $88, and the net proceeds were $46.

School Committee Convention.

We learn that the Board of Education has recommended the establishment of County Associations of School Committees in this State, and that in accordance with the recommendation a Convention of the School Committees of Norfolk County will be held in Boston today. The object of these Associations is to adopt methods for improvement in the supervision of schools.

Resignation.

The late rector of Trinity Church, Rev. Mr. Slack, who resigned that parish at Easter, has engaged a residence on Pond street, Dorchester district, and will remove to his new abode during the first week in August. The many friends of our esteemed brother, while they regret his departure from this community, will "keep his memory green."

The largest Rat on record.

A gentleman living in Rockland set a steel trap out doors for the purpose of catching rats; he then turned his horse out to graze and soon caught by the nose the largest *rat* ever seen in Plymouth County.

Vacation.

Mr. John Ford, of Weymouth, who is a student in the St. Charles Catholic College near Baltimore, Maryland, has returned home for the summer vacation. He received a prize for oratory at the annual examination. The College is sustained in part by bequests of the celebrated "Charles Carroll, of Carrollton," one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

Collegiate Honors.

At the 32d annual commencement of Knox College, Rev. Mr. Ellsworth, formerly of Weymouth, and now pastor of a church in Galesburg, Illinois, delivered the address before the Society of Religious Inquiry, of which the Republican of that place has a brief review, and says "To attempt to give any idea in this too brief review of this lecture, of its scope, its historic research, its force, would seem absurdity. Suffice it to say that Mr. Ellsworth added one more to the many good addresses he has given in Galesburg."

Fireworks.

Sheriff Geo. W. White favored the residents of Front street with a fine display of fireworks at his residence on the evening of the Fourth, attracting a crowd of observers, some of whom, not content with a proper and orderly observance of the day we celebrate, took occasion to get into a Russo-Turkish encounter, as though they were living on the banks of the Danube, instead of in a free and enlightened country. At about 11 P. M. a dismal howling was heard in White's Row, and the Sheriff was called out, when it was found that Edward Richardson had been banged over the head in an unpatriotic manner, a severe gash on the skull emitting a young freshet of blood. He was taken to the Lockup and had his wound dressed by Dr. Tinkham, and on the strength of his statement that Dennis Griffin was his assailant, Sheriff White went for Griffin and put him to bed in the same hotel. As the two braves had rammed down too heavy a charge of fire-water, they were taken to the District Court next morning, and Richardson was fined $3 and costs for simple drunk, and then Dennis listened to an eloquent oration from the judicial platform, the heads of the discourse being as follows: Firstly, on a previous warrant in the hands of the Sheriff, for selling liquor, he was invited to contribute $50 and costs to the public exchequer; secondly, for assault on Richardson, $20 and costs made a gash in his wallet sufficient to satisfy the demands of outraged justice; thirdly, for keeping a liquor nuisance, the orator pronounced all bids to be off in regard to the liberty of the defendant to exercise the privileges of a freeman; that close bars in such a case were preferable to open bars, which at the time of justice were considered nuisances; and that a three months course of Dedham air would be a remedy exactly fitting the case—so three months in the House of Correction was tossed into the Clerk's pool, on this charge.

But the Sheriff was bound to see the celebration through, and called upon the Judge to continue his remarks, the supplementary paragraph of his address referring to Bridget Griffin, wife of Dennis, whom the Sheriff declared was a sailor in the same shattered bark which has drowned so many noble souls in the Red Sea of intemperance, their destruction being as complete as that of old Pharaoh and his host. But the Judge deemed that the charge against her of liquor selling had better be postponed for a period.

The conclusion of this incident of "the day we celebrate" was rehearsed by the defendant Griffin, who appealed from the dictum of the Judge, but the latter wound up the festivities by ordering him to give bonds in $900 to appear at the September term of the Superior Court.

As the Judge did not appear to be in the least exhausted by his efforts to balance the scales of justice, and with the maxim of Horace, "Deprendri miserum est,"—('Tis a wretched thing to be detected in the commission of crime") hurled at his devoted head, Pat'k Lines was wafted to the stand. He had recently returned from Dedham, where he had been entertained by landlord Thomas, but it is to be presumed that the wine with which he was loaded was not included in the Dedham banquets. However, Lines had been present at some Fourth of July junketing where *Prince*-ly counsels prevailed and where "my children" were allowed to partake of punch, and the result of this demonstration of patriotism was that Mr. Lines was complained of for a second drunk, and ordered to be translated to the Dedham paradise, vulgarly termed the House of Correction. This enforced exposure of Lines, and he addressed the Judge in terms not suited to ears polite, and $10 and costs, with commitment until paid, was the grand finale of this eventful Fourth of July observance, which commenced with fireworks and ended in so inglorious a manner.

Webb Street.

The construction of the remaining portion of Webb street, at the Landing, has been taken by Mr. Wm. J. Dana, of Braintree, for $245, the distance being 52 rods, in which there is a portion of ledge to be removed.

Not Granted.

The Selectmen of Weymouth have come to no decision in regard to granting licenses to the druggists in the town to sell liquors "for medicinal or mechanical purposes," notwithstanding statements to that effect have appeared in other papers. Remonstrances against licensing have been made to the Board.

The Annual Picnic

Of the Unitarian Societies of the Plymouth Bay Conference will be held at Silver Lake next Thursday. Train leaves Weymouth at 8.19 A. M., and the round trip fare for adults will be 90 cts., children 45 cts.

Yachting.

Mr. Sankey, the noted revival singer, who is sojourning at Cohasset for the summer, visited Weymouth one day this week, and examined the fine yacht, "Secret," owned by Capt. J. Binney, with a view to purchase of the yacht, if satisfactory. We have not yet learned his decision.

Fruit and Flowers

For the Boston Hospitals may be sent next Wednesday night to Miss Jane Clapp, Front St.

Returned.

Officer Pease, who has been absent from town several weeks, on a visit to his "native village" in the North, has returned home, and acted as escort to Quincy yesterday morning, to a couple of 4th of July revellers who had spent the night in the Weymouth lockup, and paid dollars each and costs in the District Court for their excessive hilarity.

Thanks

To our enterprising florists, Messrs. Cushing & Mellen, for an elegant Fourth of July floral offering, consisting of a massive bouquet of rare and costly exotics, deposited on our table, with the compliments of the firm. As a specimen of their skill in floriculture and taste in arrangement it does them great credit.

Sunday Service.

Rev. John K. Karcher will preach at Trinity Church next Sunday, services both morning and afternoon.

A Mineral Spring

Has been discovered on the estate of Mr. Henry Crane, at East Braintree, but no analyzation of the water has yet been obtained. It is possible, however, that there will be no further use of Saratoga waters in this vicinity.

A Brilliant Display

Of fireworks was made by Mr. Aug. Linton on the evening of the Fourth, the exhibition being furnished by his brother, Mr. E. F. Linton, whose manufactory is located at East New York, L. I.

Mr. Geo. E. Porter also made a good display at his residence on Front St.

EAST WEYMOUTH.

Rowing Match.

A single scull race took place Saturday afternoon, on Whitman's Pond, between Messrs. David Grinnell, of Brockton, and George Adams, of Cohasset, both of whom are employed in M. C. Dizer & Co's factory at East Weymouth. The course was from Willow Grove to the flag station at the foot of the Pond, a distance of one and a half miles, according to a recent accurate survey made by Mr. Quincy L. Reed.

Adams took the lead at the start, and made the water foam with a vigorous effort for victory, but it soon appeared evident that Grinnell was an oarsman of more than amateur ability, and it is even hinted that he has been a member of the St. Johns Four, and has taken a silver cup in a match at New Bedford. We cannot vouch for the truth of these rumors, but George's lengthy anatomy was not sufficiently vigorous to win, and Grinnell came in at the expiration of 15¼ minutes, followed by Adams in 17½. The stake was a supper at the shore, a party of nine gents feasting at the Sheridan House, Cohasset, the Ocean Queen pleasure carriage conveying the party to the shore.

The referees were Messrs. Charles Matherson and Seth Dunbar, Mr. Horace Makepeace officiating as Judge and Mr. H. J. Shaw as Starter. About 500 persons were present to witness the race, and as the "rowing fever" is now at full height, other races are on the tapis.

Antiques and Horribles.

A new departure from the customary observance of the Fourth in this village was projected by a number of youthful spirits in our midst, which resulted in a grand procession of Antiques and Horribles at 4 A. M., marching through the streets of the village until about 7 o'clock, when they halted at Jackson Square, where an oration was delivered by Mr. A. F. Lovell. The procession attracted a large concourse of spectators, and the whole affair, in its various details, was creditable to the originators.

The order of procession was as follows:

Chief Marshal, C. W. L. Hayward.

Weymouth Band, (not Stetson's.)

Drum Corps—John Whelan, Drum Major.

Barge "Semper Paratus," containing the "Selectmen of Weymouth," the team being driven by Samuel Drew.

Clown, in costume representing "Gentle Spring," the team driven by Charles Delano.

"Boss Tweed," in the Black Maria, guarded by a squad of police and escorted by the

Mulegin Guards,

carrying a device inscribed "The Blody 42d."

"4 o'clock Monday morning," represented by a washing scene, team driven by Cushing White.

"All the Old Maids in town," team driven by Bela P. French.

"Chapel Squallet," composed of Arthur Powers, Chas. H. Burrell, 2d, Bradford Hollis, Wm. Lovell, and the Orator of the Day.

"County Commissioners," team driven by Charles Joy.

Ice Water for the crowd, the shafts of the team, which was driven by W. T. Rice being some 30 feet long.

East Weymouth Courier, team driven by Oliver Burrell, and inscribed "No liquors advertised here."

"Quincy Owls."

Brigham Young and Wives, with inscription, "50 young men wanted," team driven by Charles Hubbard.

Three teams filled with female characters.

Little Wanderers, team driven by Geo. O. White.

Three mounted Aids, with "K. K. K.," the aids being W. J. Dunbar, T. Lovell, R. F. Shaw.

Team driven by Pat Highland, containing a representation of the cobbling business, and inscribed "B. Shurtleff."

"The Last Raid," team driven by Chas. Cushing.

Police H. L. Bowen.

Bride and Groom, Chas. Bearce and W. H. Pratt.

Two Devils.

"Bevy of Beauties," team driven by Geo. Bailey.

Two young ladies in carriage, Emma Sherman and Minnie Pratt.

"Detachment of Cavalry."

Clown, represented by John Lee.

The procession was about a half mile in length, and the various burlesques of public bodies and hits of a local nature were the source of much merriment.

Summer Flitting.

Capt. N. Goodspeed has returned from a visit to Provincetown.

The families of Messrs Z. L. Bicknell and Sam'l Denton have taken up summer quarters at the Vineyard.

Mrs H. C. Gardner is also occupying her "little cottage by the sea" at Oak Bluffs, and has promised to furnish an occasional jotting for the GAZETTE, from the Cottage City.

We learn that the cottage of Mr. M. C. Dizer, at Oak Bluffs, has been let for the season, and the family will sojourn for the summer at the Atlantic House, Nantasket.

Cool Business.

Mr. Thomas A. Boyle is doing a thriving business in ice cream, judging from the quantity disposed of Independence Day, which amounted to about fifty gallons.

Lo, Poor Lo.

The band of Indians recently located at South Weymouth, have removed to this village and taken up quarters at the Old Cemetery. They have applied to the Selectmen for liberty to remain in the village for a brief period.

Fire Engine Meeting.

At the special meeting of the new fire engine company, held in the Reform Club Room last evening, a committee consisting of Messrs. James D. Shaw, Geo. W. Mitchell, James H. Stevens, John A. Connell, and John H. Whelan, 2d, was appointed to prepare a code of by-laws.—Another meeting will be held next Wednesday evening, when the by-laws will be presented for adoption, and other business transacted. Every member is requested to be present.

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Election.

The Catholic Total Abstinence and Literary Society elected the following list of officers Thursday evening of last week:

President, Chas. J. McMorrow.

Vice President, James O. Donavan.

Secretary, John H. Whelan.

Corresponding Secretary, John L. Monks.

Treasurer, John Fennell.

Marshall, Michael McGrath.

Standing Committee—John Fennell, Thomas A. Boyle, James O. Donavan, Timothy Fogerty.

The Society is in a very prosperous condition at present, and rapidly increasing in membership, from three to five being taken in weekly. The society has done a large amount of good in the community, and may it long continue in its work.

Odd Fellows.

A delegation of brothers from Crescent Lodge visited Wildey Lodge, of South Weymouth, last Monday evening, it being the occasion of the latter's installation of officers. The visitors enjoyed a pleasant evening, and were very hospitably entertained by the South Weymouth brethren.

Progress.

R. V. Merchant's new building is rapidly nearing completion, the mason work being under the immediate supervision of Mr. Benj. H. Everett.

Base Ball.

About 250 persons assembled in the fields adjoining the residence of Thos Cullen, on Lake St., last Saturday, to witness a match game of ball between the employees of Canterbury's and Dizer's manufactories, which proved to be an interesting one. The Dizer's whitewashed their competitors on the first inning, and the Canterbury's skunked Dizer's in the second, but as the game continued it was plain to be seen that Dizer's would get badly beaten, as the other nine were much the more experienced players. However, Dizer's did not sustain such a disastrous defeat as was anticipated, the score standing 11 to 5 in favor of Canterbury's. William Condrick, of Weymouth Landing, was chosen Umpire, and Messrs. Connell and McCarthy scorers.

ROVER.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

Struck by Lightning.

During the thunder storm of last Sunday morning the house of Mr. Jeremiah Shaw was struck by lightning, the bolt passing down the chimney, and from thence traversing the sitting-room and kitchen. No damage ensued in the rooms, but the kitchen stove was surrounded with a blaze of blue fire for a brief space of time, presenting a decidedly lurid aspect. Miss Mary E. Shaw, the oldest daughter, was in a room adjoining the kitchen, engaged in filling a lamp, and as she was about to deposit the lamp on the mantel the bottom was suddenly broken out and she fell across a table, insensible. Miss Shaw was also somewhat burned, but she was brought to after a short interval. Miss Anna Shaw, who was sitting in a chair in the kitchen, was also stunned by the explosion, but escaped severe injury.—Joshua Shaw, the oldest son, was also seated in the kitchen with his feet in another chair, when he was suddenly drawn out of the chair in which he was sitting, and thrown across the room, escaping with slight bruises. Jacob Shaw, another son, was standing in the same room, and was slightly burned on one of his legs. Mr. and Mrs. Shaw were in bed, and received no injury, although they had a slight experience of electrical influence with which the air in the room was charged.—The damage to the house was trifling.

The dwelling of Mr. Francis Cushing, 2nd, was struck during the storm in the evening of the same day, at about 10 o'clock, the fluid entering at the south side of the house, near the eaves, ripping the clapboards and passing through the boarding into a clothes press, scorching a dress in the room. The bolt then passed into the sleeping-room of Mr. and Mrs. Cushing, traversing the ceiling and thence into the dining-room, where it did considerable damage to the plastering and lathing. From this point a portion of the charge went through the front porch, tearing off the wood work and emerging from thence to the outside, the remainder of its force being spent on the west side of the house, where further damage was done to the exterior. A closet in the parlor connected with one in the bedroom, and some articles were scorched and moved from their position. None of the family were injured, but Mrs. Cushing has suffered ever since with a severe pain in the [illegible] provided with plates their removal.

The Missing Man Found.

Three weeks since the quiet village of "Old Spain" situated in North Weymouth, was thrown into a fever of excitement by the unaccountable disappearance of Mr. S. Arthur Pratt, a most exemplary young man who has always resided in the place. He was last seen by a young lady at East Weymouth, to whom he was paying his addresses, at a late hour on the evening of Friday, June 8th. After leaving the lady's residence not a trace of his whereabouts could be found. The supposition that he had been murdered on the way home which was entertained at first was abandoned when it was ascertained from an examination of his clothing that he had been home and exchanged the dark suit which he wore to East Weymouth for a light mixed suit. Several other things were also missing, which made it certain that he must have been home after leaving East Weymouth.

Since that time every effort has been made to find some clew that would lead to his recovery. Detectives Furnald of Quincy and Garey of Weymouth have put forth every exertion and photographs with a description attached have been sent to the chiefs of police in the different cities. But all to no purpose. The mystery was as deep as ever. Those who had known him most intimately from boyhood were convinced that he had wandered away under the influence of a sudden aberration of mind.—Their terrible anxiety was relieved last Wednesday morning by the news that he had returned home at a late hour the previous night.

He gave your correspondent the following account of himself. He states that after leaving the house in East Weymouth he has no clear idea of where he went or what he did, until he found himself at sea on board the ocean steamer "*Parthia.*" It seems to him that he went to Quincy after leaving his own home and took an early train for Boston; but everything is vague and misty. From the Depot at Boston until he found himself at sea he has no recollection, but thinks from the weight of the bag he carried he must have taken a hack to convey him to the wharf at East Boston. When he came to himself he found himself a steerage passenger on board the steamer bound for Liverpool. His first thought was of the anxiety of his mother and his friends and of the quickest possible return home. He was in constant fear that the same confusion might come over him again and that some of the passengers might discover the condition in which he had started. This anxiety gave him little opportunity for sleep.

Reaching Liverpool at about 8 P. M. on Tuesday evening, June 19th, he at once took passage in the steamer "England" for New York and left Liverpool at 4 P. M. on Wednesday. To the question, why he did not telegraph to his friends from L. he says he did not think of it until after starting. The one idea was to get home. This lack of thought is easily accounted for by the weak state of his mind at the time. He reached New York at about 9 o'clock Monday and started for Boston in the 1 P. M. Shore Line Express, reaching B. at about 9 P. M. Thence he went to Quincy in the 9.30 P. M. train and arrived home about 11 o'clock.

The young man appears careworn and his face is bronzed somewhat by exposure to the sun.

In this way is cleared up a mystery which has caused more excitement in the town of Weymouth than anything of a like character in the annals of the place.

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3 lb. Cans Pears, 33 cts. per can.	
3 lb. Cans Baked Beans, 21 cts. per Can.	
2 lb. Cans Lima Beans, 2 lb. Cans Green Peas, 3 lb. Cans Peaches,	20 cts. per Can.

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SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

The Annual Exhibition

Of the South High School took place on Friday evening last, at the Second Cong'l. Church. The church was tastefully decorated and the attendance was very large, many being compelled to stand. The exercises commenced at a quarter before eight, at which time the school marched up the principal aisle to the music of the organ, which was played by F. Porter Pratt. The school occupied a position in the right hand lower part of the church.—The exercises of the evening were then commenced with prayer by Rev. Geo. F. Stanton, after which the following programme was presented:—Chorus, The Quiet Night, School; Declamation, Irish Aliens, Arthur C. Heald; Essay, Faith and Works, Clara R. Blanchard; Duet, En Route, Misses Reed and Thomas; Declamation, selection from Xenophon, L. Wadsworth Tuck; Song, Beautiful Bird Sing on, F. Addie Dyer; Reading, Widder Green's Last Words, Helen M. Shaw; Essay, Advantages of the Study of Languages, Quincy A. Tirrell, Jr.; Piano Solo, Fra Diavolo, Cyntie S. Reed; Recitation, The Seventh Plague, Jennie Stetson; Declamation, The Baron's Last Banquet, Fred W. Clark; Song, Only Come, Annie Deane; Essay, Old Associates, Mary E. Long; Chorus, O Paradise, School; Graduating Exercises,—Oration, The Day we Celebrate, Bates Torrey; Class Hymn, by the School; Oration and Valedictory, The Three Voices, Elmer E. Belcher; Presentation of Diplomas, by Hon. James Humphrey.

The Declamations and Readings were very interesting and well delivered. The essays and orations were all of great merit and showed careful study. They were listened to by the audience with much interest, and received with manifestations of approval. Those who entertained the audience with vocal and instrumental music performed their part in a very artistic manner, and received much praise, which was well deserved.

CLASS HYMN.

Composed and set to music by Bates Torrey.

"Few, few shall part where many meet!"
A breath,—and all are gone;
The echoes of retreating feet
Sound,—but 'tis sound alone.
And birds and June may come again,
But mem'ry of this hour brings pain;
For we are yet but mortal.

We would indeed a larger band
Were here to greet you all;
We would indeed a stronger hand
Were here to lift the pall
That shadows us with heavy care;
For leaving friends is hard to bear,
Though Life's beyond the portal.

Teachers and Scholars, friends, farewell!
The sight of all endears;
But why on partings further dwell?
This hour's for hopes and tears.
Louder than words do actions speak,
It's deeds, not honeyed speech, we seek,
With which to battle valiantly.

But liquid drops an impress make,
If they but be renewed;
And all the birds their thirst can slake
From e'en a dewy wood.
In numbers? No, but solid worth,
Men merit all the praise of earth;
'Tis deep streams that flow silently.

Engine Meeting.

The meeting of the Conqueror Engine Company was held on Tuesday evening, but on account of so small a number being present the business of the meeting was postponed until Tuesday evening, July 17th.

For the shore.

The family of Mr. Edw. Rosenfeld have removed to their summer residence at Nantasket for the season.

The Fourth.

In this part of the town was observed in a very demonstrative manner, especially in the morning, from 12 o'clock to 6 it being almost one continual bang. The entertainment at the Fair Grounds in the afternoon was largely attended from this place.

Extra Study.

The Scholars of the Torrey St. Grammar School have been taking a week's extra study, that they may be doubly sure of getting into the High School.

Fireworks.

An unexpected and appreciated treat was given the people of South Weymouth on the evening of the Fourth, in the shape of fireworks at the residence of Mr. E. Rosenfeld.

Occupied.

The lower part of Music Hall, South Weymouth, has been fitted up for two stores, and one has already been taken possession of by Mr. Geo. M. McCarty, merchant tailor.

The Public Examination

Of the Torrey St. Grammar School occurred Friday afternoon last, the exercises giving great satisfaction. One of the studies of this school is music, which was introduced by the principal, L. A. Cook, and taught with great success.

New Goods.

Mr. Timothy Smith, in a new advertisement in our columns, invites public inspection of additional lines of goods to his large and select stock. Give him a call.

Notice to Builders.

SEALED PROPOSALS for building and completing ONE OR FOUR FIRE ENGINE HOUSES;—one at North Weymouth, one at East Weymouth, one at Nash's Corner, South Weymouth, and one at Weymouth Landing, will be received for the Committee by the subscriber, until FRIDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF JULY NEXT, at 3 o'clock P. M., endorsed "Proposals for Building Fire Engine Houses for Weymouth." Plans and specifications can be seen at the subscriber's, and the Committee reserve the right to reject any and all Proposals.

Also the same Committee will receive proposals for furnishing materials and building ONE OR MORE RESERVOIRS for said town, until the said 13th day of July, at 3 o'clock P. M. For place of location and manner of building, enquire of the subscriber. The Committee reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

By order of the Building Committee.

NOAH VINING.

Weymouth, June 25, 1877. 9 10

Shoe Machinery for Sale.

THE subscribers offer for sale, at favorable rates, the following Machines for the manufacture of BOOTS AND SHOES, all in good order.

One BAXTER 6-HORSE ENGINE AND BOILER.
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RAN SPLITTER.
SCOURING MACHINES for steam and foot power, and other articles.
BELTING, PULLEYS AND SHAFTING, sufficient for all the machinery.

As we have decided to discontinue business, the above will be sold on terms satisfactory to purchasers, and will be offered in one lot, or separately, as may be desired.

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Depot Street, South Weymouth.

EXAMINATION.

THERE will be an Examination of candidates for admission to the High Schools of Weymouth, at the Town House,

FRIDAY, JULY 6,

beginning at 9 A. M.

E. C. HAWES,
Sec. of School Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK ss. Probate Court.

TO the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of CHARLOTTE W. BATES, late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased. Greeting:

Whereas BRADFORD HAWES, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell so much of the real estate of said deceased as will raise the sum of four hundred and sixty-three dollars and fifty cents, for the payment of debts and charges of administration:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third Wednesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this Citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper printed at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

9 11 J. H. COBB, Register.

FOUND.

TUESDAY, June 26, on Grove St., between South Weymouth and South Braintree, a Roll of Carpeting, which the owner can have by proving property, paying for this advertisement, and applying at THAYER BROS. Livery Stable, opposite South Braintree Depot.

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BRAINTREE DEPARTMENT.

Accident.

Mr. John Crane, son of Mr. Joseph Crane, of East Braintree, who is pursuing a course of study at Brown University, and now at home for the vacation, was mowing grass on his father's farm last Monday, when his hat blew off, and in attempting to catch it one of his fingers came in contact with a scythe which another mower was whetting, and the finger was nearly severed from the hand. The physician who was called considered complete amputation necessary.

Examination.

At the examination of the candidates for admission to the Braintree High School, last Friday, out of 45 applicants 15 gained admission, only one of them being of the "sterner sex." Fourteen girls to one boy is rather rough on the lads of Braintree, and they should make an effort to wipe out this black mark another year.

The Engine Bells

On the three engine houses are now in position. They were cast at the foundry of the Blake & Hooper concern, and cost $103 each. The tone of each is very similar, and of good pitch for musical effect.

Order Of Exercises.

At the exhibition of the Braintree High School on Thursday of last week, the order of exercises by the graduating class was as follows:—

Singing, Come back to New England, School; Reading, How He Saved St. Michaels, Miss S. S. Dockendorff; Declamation, National Injustice, Walter E. Arnold; Music, Arcadian Galop, Miss Susie Hayward; Dialogue, Boarding School Scenes; Reading, The Wedding Fee, Miss Clara L. Keith; Declamation, Duluth, Eben Sheppard; Reading, How We Hunted A Mouse, Fred Holbrook; A Deaf Dialogue; Music, Waves of the Ocean, Misses Morrison and Rennie; Declamation, Over the Hill to the Poorhouse, Miss Emma Bates; Reading, My Lord Tomnoddy, Edward Hobart; Dialogue, A Precious Pickle; Music, Fantastic Waltz, Maurice Woodsum; Reading, Ballad of New Orleans, Harry Smith; Declamation, Legend of the Organ-Grinder, Miss Alzora Mason; The Skidmore Guards; Singing, Vacation Song, School.

In General.

Everything in town is rather quiet.—The Public Schools have had their yearly examinations and entered upon the long summer vacation. The Strawberry Hill party are at the beach, and others are at Mears' beach, Quincy Neck. We who remain at home to look after the interests of the town, find enough to do to fight mosquitoes, hunt potato bugs and play croquet. We have also received our usual reinforcement of city families, who have summer residences here. So everything is settled down into a general summery aspect, except perhaps the weather, which remains beautifully cool and comfortable. No doubt, however, but that will "catch up," and so effectually too that in a week or two we shall have forgotten how cool weather seems.

It was funny that out of the forty-five who took the examination for the High School only 15 were admitted and only *one* boy. I don't mean to say it was funny that so few were admitted, for I think *that* was a sad commentary on the work that has been done in our schools for the past year. There is great want of a thorough practical application of the common English branches to every day use; that very application which would impress the rules more firmly upon the mind of the child than any other method. For instance, in the matter of English Grammer, how often children are allowed to violate its rules in conversation, without a correction, or if they are corrected, how often are they made to give a reason for the correction and the rule, pass the word and understand all its relations to the other words? There is too much learning so many pages, getting over so much ground and "having it done with"; too much that is theoretical and according to prescribed rule, and too little that is practical and made a part of life, in the methods of teaching. Other towns are ahead of us in this matter, and our committee realize it, so we hope for better things.

Candidates.

We understand that candidates for the Thayer Academy will be examined Sept. 16. Any one over 12 years of age will be admitted who can pass the examination, which requires a knowledge of grammar, geography, and history. Prof. Sewall, of Bowdoin College, is engaged as Principal. A native French teacher and one other teacher, will complete the corps of instructors, we understand, so this school will soon be in working order.

Additions.

Rev. Thomas Emerson had the pleasure of welcoming into the fellowship of his church, six new members last Sabbath, at the communion service—five young ladies and one young gentleman.

Fourth of July

Was a quiet day here after six o'clock in the morning, but before that, from eight o'clock the night before, ten Babels would have been rest and quiet in comparison. The new engine bells came just in time, and one of them was hardly quiet an hour after twelve o'clock. We did wish we had the tongue of that bell for an hour or two. It is well enough to be patriotic, but there was altogether too much Pat-riot-ism that night. The Horrible procession was fine enough to pay for getting up early to see them, particularly when one couldn't sleep. One team contained a cradle, and the mother sat rocking the baby to sleep in her arms, but rocked so violently once as to rock over. No serious accident occurred during the day or night, which is a source of gratitude when the danger from the use of firearms by boys, is taken into consideration. L. P. H.

EAST BRAINTREE.

A Bell

Has been hung in the tower of Union Engine House for the purpose of calling the company together at monthly meetings or to be rung in case of fire. A patriotic peal was rung on the bell during the small hours of the Fourth.

July 4th

Passed off very quietly and peaceaby.—People were disturbed but little by uproarious noise or riotous demonstration either the night preceding or succeeding. What extra noise there was preceded from those who came from adjoining towns. The day was more quiet than the Sabbath.

A few private parties indulged in fireworks in the evening, which added to the interest of the day. Ajax.

The second game of Base Ball between the Prospect and Factory Hill nines, was played on the grounds of the latter on Saturday, June 30th, with the following score:

Prospect Hill.—*Score.*	R.	O.
J. Griffin, C.,	4	1
T. Healy, P.,	4	1
J. Maloney, 1st B.,	3	3
M. Dowd, 2d B.,	2	4
Rutherham, 3d B.,	2	4
J. Flannigan, S. S.,	1	5
McDowell, C. F.,	2	2
P. Dowd, L. F.,	3	3
Seely, R. F.,	2	4
Total,	23	27

Factory Hill.—*Score.*		
P. Ness, 1st B.,	2	4
Mullarkey, C.,	3	2
J. Flood, P.,	2	2
J. Ness, 3d B.,	1	4
Howard, 2d B.,	0	5
Preston, L. F.,	2	3
Sheeham, R. F.,	0	1
Lorrigan, C. F.,	1	3
T. Hageny, S. S.,	1	3
Total,	12	27

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
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Umpire, L. Mulligan. Scorer, J. Sharkey.

ABINGTON.

Celebration.

Although the morning of July 4th was stormy, a large number of persons were out, either to take a part in or to see the procession of Antiques and Horribles, which formed on Washington St. near Hatherly Hall, and about five o'clock began the march. After passing through the principal streets of Center and North Abington, they returned to Hatherly Hall and were reviewed by the proper officers. The Declaration of Independence was then read by Rev. Dennis Powers, followed by an oration by Mr. F. W. Rollins. The company then partook of a collation provided by the citizens and then dispersed. The Calithumpian Band occupied a prominent place in the procession, being followed by the infantry and artillery and teams of all descriptions, among the most noticeable of which was the turnout of the Plymouth County Journal, containing a printing-press, devil and other furniture necessary for printing a sheet containing the advertisements of the business places of the town. The programme was as follows:

101ST ANNUAL MEANDER OF ABINGTON'S COMBINED MUTUAL ADMIRATION SOCIETIES.

Antique, Unique, Comique and Horrible.

BILL OF FARE,

(Served up without regard to taste.)

Squad of special police on foot.

General Distress.

AIDS—Senator Dumpcart, Capt. Shinplaster, Lieut. Muttonhead, Sergeant Demijohn, Corporal Punishment.

Twenty-five superior wind-jammers, (modern toot-elary deities.

THE PROCESSION.

The line will form at 4 o'clock, a. m., with the head resting on Hatherly Hall steps; the right wing flapping on Mill River ditch; the left wing reposing on the arm of the law; the ears hovering over New Barn Corner; the nose is supposed to be on Glover's Fish Market, where it was jammed in a fight; the tail has been stolen by the Board of Health, and sold to pay the "land damages." The procession will consist of a variety of personages from George, who never handled the truth loosely, down to the present truthful age.

FIRST DIVISION.

A battalion of ancient single ladies—very ancient —mounted on night-mares. Town paupers with gold headed canes. NEXTLY—a large number of unclaimed children in separate carriages, drawn by the milk of human kindness. All the females in this section who have never had an offer of marriage, and never expect to. AGAIN.—Selectmen in teams, school teachers with ear trumpets, town constables muzzled. The handsomest lady in Abington on a muzzled black and tan. Horse thieves, undertakers, boy-drivers, hen poisoners, pickpockets, dog shooters, and ledge blasters.

NEXT DIVISION.

Post masters and store keepers on stilts. The Doctors will ride on their dignity, and keep time with the music.

CENTRE DIVISION.

Editors and reporters in flour barrels on the wheels of time. Several dissatisfied tax payers with blood blisters on their foreheads. Tax collectors riding on a hen roost.

LONG DIVISION.

Old maids with honey combs in their hair. A delegation of pickpockets from "pirate corner." A delegation of ladies from the Beaver River *bust*(le) Mills, wearing large-sized, second-handed, self-adjusting, back-action, double-reflecting air bustles.

SHORT DIVISION.

Highway surveyors, with white kid gloves, and sun umbrellas, will be carried in arm chairs. The fat man of Abington, weighing eight ounces; all the old horses which have been dead over three years, will be in use.

"Sew on your buttons, sew them on tight,
Lest you should burst when we come in sight."

The procession will start promptly at 4 o'clock, a. m., from Hatherly Hall down Washington street through "Otis' Gap," down Centre Avenue to Plymouth street to North Abington, up North Avenue to Washington street, up Washington to Orange as far as Bedford, then through Bedford to Hatherly Hall, where the procession will be reviewed by a special board, Declaration of Independence read and an oration given. After all this a bountiful collation will be served.

Per Order,
GENERAL DISTRESS.

In the afternoon there was a picnic at Island Grove which was well attended.

Accident.

Tuesday forenoon, the horse belonging to William Nash took affright and ran at full speed to the sidewalk in front of B. L. Nash's store, and as the walk was hardly wide enough to admit the wagon, it was left behind with a stock of groceries well scattered. No one hurt and damage slight. Wednesday morning one of the "horrible" horses became unmanageable and before he could be controlled one of the hind wheels of a buggy containing two men and a dog (unmuzzled) was demolished.

Change.

J. W. Sproul, the new postmaster, began his duties as such July 1st, the location of the office remaining the same.

PARTRIDGE.

ROCKLAND.

High School.

The examination of the High School was held in their rooms of the 26th ult. The Graduating Exercises were held in Phoenix Hall, Monday evening, the 2nd inst. Prof. Dolbear gave an exhibition of the working of the Telephone as a part of the entertainment. The following graduates were awarded diplomas: Nellie McEnroe, Grace Perry, Alice Burgess, Effie Beal, Mary Spence, Edward Curtis, Luke Mulready, Leslie Estes.

Donation.

The Scholars of the High School gave their teacher, Mr. Albert Stetson, an elegant dressing case, at the close of school on the afternoon of the 29th ult. He will start for Europe about the middle of the present month, and Mr. Charles F. Meserve of North Abington, a graduate of Colby University, has been engaged to fill the vacancy.

Appointed.

Dr. J. C. Gleason of this place has received the appointment of Medical Examiner for the second District, including the towns of Abington, Rockland, Hull, Hingham, South Scituate, Hanover and Hanson.

Dissolution.

Messrs. French & Bass, Photographers, have dissolved partnership on account of the poor health of Mr. French, he being able to give but little attention to the business. Mr. Bass carries on the business as previously.

Anniversary.

The 23d anniversary of the Baptist Sabbath School was celebrated with appropriate exercises in the church on the afternoon of he 24th ult.

MAGNUS.

A Broad Hint.

The pump at N. Weymouth has been in very bad order for sometime past, it being impossible to obtain water from the well, and last Tuesday evening some person ripped off the rotten outside of the pump and projected the pieces into the top of the pump, twisted the handle to the front and then posted a notice, "Danger, don't step on this platform." A broad hint is better then a kick or a fall into the well, and it is hoped that some good Samaritan will furnish a new pump.

The Fourth

Brought an assemblage of 3,000 visitors to Lovell's Grove, who ate the proprieter "out of house and home," nothing being left for the busy employees but Boston crackers and a cup of tea. Good order prevailed during the day, and only one incident of transgression occurred, which was the picking of the pocket of a Quincy lady, who lost $10 by the light-fingered operation. The pocket-book was found Thursday on the grounds, wrapped up in a paper bag, but the money was minus.

The National Lancers made an excursion to the Grove today.

MURDER WILL OUT.

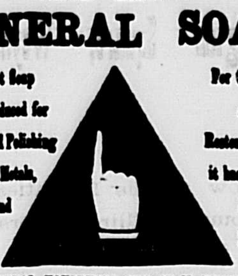
A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to the druggist, Alfred Wyman, Weymouth Landing, and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it. Sample bottles 10 cents.

Marriages and Deaths.

DIED.

In East Braintree, July 1, Allen Edson, aged 86 years, 4 months 18 days.

HOUSEKEEPERS
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR
THE KITCHEN
AND HAND
MINERAL SOAP.



FOR GENERAL HOUSEHOLD USE, IT IS UNSURPASSED.

For removing Paint, Varnish, Grease, Blacking, and all impurities from the hands, it has no equal in the market.

NOTICE.—Be sure and get the Kitchen and Hand Mineral Soap, and take no other and you will always use it.

CHARLES F. BATES, Proprietor,
60 HARRISON AV., BOSTON.

John Townsend, Ph. G.
PRACTICAL PHARMACIST.
Cor. Broad and Madison Streets,
East Weymouth.

A Full Stock of the Purest
Drugs and Medicines,
ALWAYS ON HAND.
ALSO, A FINE ASSORTMENT OF
FANCY GOODS!
TOILET ARTICLES, &c.

☞ PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS prepared in the most scientific and careful manner, from the BEST AND CHOICEST MATERIALS.

ARCTIC SODA ON DRAUGHT, FROM GLASS CANS AND STEEL FOUNTAINS.

Don't spend your money for Patent Medicines, when TOWNSEND sells his

Root & Herb Compound
FOR THIRTY-FIVE CENTS

per package; sufficient to make three pints of a SUPERIOR BITTER TONIC AND SPRING MEDICINE. If you are feeling debilitated and weak, and your appetite poor, try a package of the Compound. Full directions on each label. Will be sent by mail, if desired.

Townsend's
WILD CHERRY, PECTORAL

Has proved to be one of the very best preparations for COUGHS AND COLDS ever used in this country. It never fails to give relief. Every bottle WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

USE TOWNSEND'S
FLUID EXT. OF JAMAICA GINGER.

Will refund the price to every person who says it is not the BEST AND CHEAPEST Extract of Ginger they ever bought.

TOWNSEND'S PHARMACY.

FLOWER POTS.

REMEMBER those nice Flower Pots, for sale at the New Stove Store, by
5tf JOSEPH I. BATES.

Civil Engineer and Surveyor.

Surveys for Water Works, Drainage, Roads; land judiciously divided into lots for sale. For any information, address

C. L. BROWN,
34 BROCKTON, Mass.

STILL LOWER!
WIRE CLOTH
For Window and Door Screens,
will be sold this season at
GEO. S. BAKER'S,
WEYMOUTH LANDING,
For six cents per foot.
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Soft Rubber Urinals.
Soft and Hard Rubber Bed Pans,
A PRACTICAL INVENTION,
RELIEF FOR THE SUFFERING,
SOMETHING NEW AND CONVENIENT.

THESE article are for the use and comfort of both sexes; can be used upon all occasions;—during long marches, in dense crowds, &c. &c. They are a comfort to infants, and a relief to Mothers.

MRS. DR. TUCK
IS SOLE AGENT FOR NEW ENGLAND,
Office 28 Winter St, Boston. Room 16.
Send stamp for Circulars. 6tf

CARRIAGE PAINTING.
James J. Long
HAS TAKEN THE ROOM OVER H. H. THAYER'S BLACKSMITH SHOP,
Washington St., South Braintree,

"THE BEST POLISH IN THE WORLD."
THE RISING SUN STOVE POLISH

FOR SALE,
Two Story House, on Quincy Avenue, East Braintree.

IS pleasantly situated, and contains seven conveniently arranged rooms. The house is nearly new and in perfect order, and will be sold on very easy terms.
Apply to EBEN DENTON,
9tf QUINCY AVENUE.

Parmenter & Sumner,
PROPRIETORS OF THE
UNITED STATES
Boarding, Baiting and Sale
STABLE,
NO. 138 BEACH ST., BOSTON.
☞ Just arrived, a Car load of ☞ COUNTRY ☞ HORSES. 46m3

GEO. E. THOMPSON,
Practical Engraver.
DOOR PLATES, DOG COLLARS, and all kinds of ENGRAVING, done at short notice and at prices to suit the times.
Residence, Mount Pleasant,
WEYMOUTH LANDING.
Orders left at E. H. Frary's Jewelry Store will receive prompt attention.
49tf

FIRE INSURANCE.

THE subscriber thanks his friends for their patronage in the line of Insurance against loss by fire. He is an authorized Agent for the
Quincy Mutual, Abington Mutual,
Dorchester Mutual, Citizens Mutual,
AND THE FOLLOWING NAMED STOCK COMPANIES:
Shoe and Leather, and Prescott, of Boston, Connecticut, of Hartford, and Fire Association of Philadelphia.
He will be happy to obtain Insurance upon any property in this region,
At the Lowest Rates.
at any of the above named offices, or any other other office that may be preferred.
HOME OFFICE AT
NORTH WEYMOUTH.
Boston Office at No. 18 High Street.
E. S. BEALS, Ins. Agent.
Nov. 17, 1876. 30y

ALFRED WYMAN,
DRUGGIST AND PHARMACIST

WASHINGTON ST., opposite Prospect,
WEYMOUTH.
FRESH STOCK OF
Finest Drugs and Chemicals
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
ICY SODA.
BEST POISON FOR POTATO BUGS.
FULL LINE OF
Patent Medicines,
FINE ASSORTMENT OF
Brushes and Combs, Perfumery, &c.
☞ STRICT PERSONAL ATTENTION PAID TO ALL BRANCHES OF DRUG BUSINESS.
Particular attention to preparing PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS from the best materials.
5tf

Table Cutlery.
NEW stock of Table Cutlery at prices that defy competition, by S. W. PRATT.

STOVES! STOVES!
WE have been in business at the New Stove Store three years, and have never disappointed man, woman, or child. Please don't engage us to do a job unless you expect us to be on time, every time. 5tf JOSEPH I. BATES.

New Stove Store.
CLOTHES AND MARKET BASKETS for sale cheap at the New Stove Store. See the improved
Good News Range,
before you buy any other. Also, the
DARLING RANGE
with all the improvements of a high priced Range, for only $25.00.
But please don't deal with us unless you expect us to be prompt, and do as we promise every time.
5ts JOSEPH I. BATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber has been duly appointed Executrix of the Will of LIVIA D. WILD, late of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk, widow, deceased, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LIVIA A. WILD, Executrix.
Braintree, June 13, 1877. 912

THOMAS A. BOYLE,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Confectioner,
BROAD STREET,
EAST WEYMOUTH.
I AM NOW PREPARED TO FURNISH PARTIES WITH
Ice Cream and Confectionery
OF BEST QUALITY, AND AT THE LOWEST PRICES.
☞ ICE CREAM AND REFRESHMENT ROOMS are connected with my establishment, for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen. 6tf

C. AHLF,
Wheelwright & Carriage Maker.
REPAIRING done in the best manner, and at SHORT NOTICE.
☞ I make a WHEEL, which I will warrant to
Give Perfect Satisfaction.
MACHINE WHEELS furnished as desired.
WEYMOUTH LANDING.
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Wanted Immediately,
LASTERS, HEELERS AND EDGE-MAKERS.
Apply to ABIJAH ALLEN,
EAST BRAINTREE.

ICE!
THE Subscribers, grateful for past patronage, will continue to deliver ICE on their former routes, commencing May 21st, and continuing as long as customers wish, at the following rates:
FAMILIES, 25 cents per hundred lbs.
STORES &c., OVER $25, 18 cents per hundred lbs.
" " under " 20 " " "
Customers wishing Ice before that time, by notifying us by mail or otherwise, will receive prompt attention.
Families commencing on or after July 1, will be charged 30 cents per 100 lbs.
Bills payable monthly.
A. & C. HOLLIS.
South Weymouth, May 1st, 1877. 1 13

BROCKTON
STEAM MARBLE WORKS.
Established 1858.

ON opening the trade for the year 1877, we make the following announcement:

ITALIAN MARBLE SHELVES,	62 1-2 cents per foot.
ITALIAN MARBLE SHELVES,	70 cents per foot.
ITALIAN MARBLE SHELVES,	75 cents per foot.
ITALIAN MARBLE and	MARBLEIZED SLATE MANTELS.

At Low Prices.

Parties about building will find it for their interest to inspect this stock. On exhibition at Warerooms the largest stock of
MONUMENTAL WORK
that can be shown in this section of the country, manufactured the past season, of Italian and the beautiful Tennessee Marbles, from my own original designs, embracing more than two hundred different patterns.
Buying my Marble, as I do, right from the ships in which it is brought from Italy, *and for cash*, and having no middle profits to pay, and having all the improved machinery for sawing and finishing, I have unequalled facilities for producing first-class work at the lowest prices, which will be sold as low as first-class work can be afforded.
Parties wishing to consult in regard to work, by sending me a postal card will be called on by Mr. Wm. H. Wild, my gentlemanly agent, and no one need feel under any obligations to buy, unless perfectly satisfied with styles and prices.
FRED. HANSON,
Cor. Main and Crescent Streets, Brockton.

CARPETINGS.
25 per cent. saved by buying direct of the Manufacturers,
JOHN & JAMES DOBSON,
PROPRIETORS OF THE FALLS OF SCHUYLKILL CARPET MILLS.
Salesrooms, { 44 Washington St. 130 Hanover St. 76 Union St. } BOSTON.
SPRING OPENING.
ONE THOUSAND PIECES BODY BRUSSELS.
100 PATTERS, 300 SHADING. Suitable for Rooms, Halls and Stairs.
$1.50. Usual price $2.00.
ROYAL VELVETS, $1.75.
Usual price $2.50.
TAPESTRY BRUSSELS, $1.10.
Usual Price $1.30.
Extra Superfines, 95c. Usual Price $1.15. | Superfines, 85c. Usual Price $1.00.
A choice selection of the above, exquisitely colored, pecniliarly adapted to the trade of this eity. ONE PXICE ONLY. Selling Carpets made by us, all intermediate profit is saved in buying direct. Hall and Church Carpets a specialty. Goods guaranteed as represented, or the money refunded.
SPECIAL LINE OF TAPESTRY at $1.00. Samples sent by mail, if desired.

CENTRAL MARKET.
Washington St., Weymouth Landing.
Meats and Provisions,
G. R. DAVIS,
PROPRIETOR.
Now is the time for those who want Fresh Goods.
CONSTANTLY ON HAND A CHOICE LOT OF
Beef, Pork, Mutton,
Lard, Hams,
Butter, Cheese,
Turkeys, Chickens,
Vegetables, Fruit,
Beans, &c.
GEORGE R. DAVIS.
40tf

DR. W. C. B. FIFIELD
HAS TAKEN AN OFFICE AT
No. 4 PARK SQUARE, BOSTON,
OPPOSITE PROVIDENCE DEPOT,
where he may be found daily, from 1 to 3 o'clock P.M.
☞ Dr. Fifield's residence is still at Harrison Square. 21y

Custom Tailoring.
THE subscriber begs leave to announce to the public that he has opened a
Line of Spring Goods,
FOR
Gentlemen's Wear,
and keeps constantly on hand a fine assortment of
Foreign and Domestic Goods,
in the line of BROADCLOTHS, CASSIMERES, DOESKINS, &c. Every description of TRIMMINGS of the best quality, constantly on hand.
The people of Weymouth, Braintree, Hingham, Randolph, Stoughton and Brockton, are invited to call, as my prices will be found as low, if not lower, than at any other establishment. Goods will be made up by first-class workmen, in the most artistic style.
P. J. CURRAN,
OLD P. O. BUILDING, WASHINGTON ST.,
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T. J. FLOOD,
SUCCESSOR TO J. CALLAHAN,
HORSE-SHOEING,
Blacksmithing and Carriage Work,
SHOP CORNER OF WASHINGTON & COMMON STS.,
Weymouth Landing.
☞ Particular attention paid to Overreaching and Interfering Horses. 2 15

Clothes Wringers.
EMPIRE Clothes Wringer, the only Wringer that will not get out of repair in a short time.
S. W. PRATT.

HOWE
Sewing Machines.
Geo. H. Cunningham,
Middle Street, EAST WEYMOUTH,
Agent for the celebrated Howe Sewing Machines, is prepared to supply
Manufacturers and Families,
with machines of every style of finish, on easy terms.
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MEETINGS OF THE
Selectmen & Overseers of Poor.

THE Selectmen of Weymouth will be in session at the Town House, every Monday during the municipal year, from two to five o'clock P. M.; and the Overseers of the Poor will meet at the Alms House on the second Tuesday of each month, at two o'clock P. M.

JOHN W. BARTLETT, NOAH VINING, T. H. HUMPHREY, WILLIAM NASH, C. S. WILLIAMS, } SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR OF WEYMOUTH.

Weymouth, March 6, 1877.

THE
Bryant & Stratton
COMMERCIAL SCHOOL,
BOSTON.
Having greater facilities and enjoying a more extensive patronage than any similar institution in the United States, offers superior advantages for requiring a thorough
COMMERCIAL EDUCATION.
Parents contemplating placing their children in this school are notified that
ARRANGEMENTS
Are being made for the reception of an unusually large number of new pupils at the beginning of the
SPRING TERM, APRIL 2d,
And application for admission at that time should be made without delay.
Interviews may be had with the Principal DAILY, at the School Building, from 9 till 2. Catalogue of teachers and pupils, and prospectus of study post free, by addressing
H. E. HIBBARD, 608 WASHINGTON STREET.

B. SHURTLEFF,
HAS just opened, at his NEW SHOP ON BROAD STREET, EAST WEYMOUTH, A
RETAIL DEPARTMENT
Where can be found MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S
FINE BOOTS AND SHOES
Also, Boots and Shoes made to order. Repairing a Specialty.
CHEAP FOR CASH.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

ESTATE of NANCY PIERCE, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, represented insolvent.

The subscribers, having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive and examine all claims of creditors against said estate, hereby give notice that they will meet to examine the claims of creditors, at the office of West & Gould, Counsellors at Law, 5 Tremont St., Boston, on MONDAY, the second day of July next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

QUINCY BICKNELL, PAUL WEST, } COMMISSIONERS.
Boston, June 13, 1877. 7 9

Wessagusset House,
WEYMOUTH LANDING.
THE subscriber will open his new Hotel at Weymouth Landing, near the Depot, on the 17th of June, for the accommodation of the public, and respectfully solicits their patronage. The house has been fitted and furnished throughout with new furniture, bedding and carpets, and every effort will be made to provide for the comfort of guests.
A Restaurant is connected with the house, where refreshments can be obtained at all hours of the day or night.
EXTENSIVE STABLING FACILITIES will also be furnished, with accommodation for one hundred horses.
An elegant YACHT has been engaged for the season, under the charge of an experienced skipper, and parties desiring a pleasant sail down the River can be accommodated at short notice.
D. WHITE,
Weymouth, June 1st. 1877. 5tf

FOR SALE, CHEAP.
THE subscriber now offers for sale his block of four
DWELLING HOUSES,
on Rockville, Weymouth Landing. These houses are two stories high, all in one block, and are convenient for small families, were painted and repaired during the past year and are now in good order.
The location one of the best in town to let.
The price will be made low and the terms easy.
Also, TWO WOOD LOTS in South Weymouth.
JOHN O. FOYE.
June 1st, 1877. 5tf

CHANGE OF BASE!
New Shop! New Business!
THE subscriber would inform his many friends and the public, that on and after FEBRUARY 8, 1877, he may be found at his
NEW SHOP ON BROAD STREET.
Having secured the services of a
First Class Carriage Builder,
I am prepared to fill all orders for
REPAIRING AND NEW WORK,
AT SHORT NOTICE & REASONABLE RATES.
Neatness! Cheapness! Dispatch!
IS OUR MOTTO; and by close attention to business we hope to receive a share of the public favor
☞ I have also a ROOM OVER MY SHOP, 22x24 feet, 9 feet high, which will be let at moderate rent.
WALDO TURNER.
EAST WEYMOUTH, Jan. 26, 1877.

Boots and Shoes
MADE AND REPAIRED
in the most satisfactory manner, by
E. B. WHELAN,
WASHINGTON SQUARE, WEYMOUTH LANDING,
Manufacturers' Jobbing a Specialty.

Notice to Ladies.
SCISSORS AND SHEARS sharpened in the best manner, at
L. O. CROCKER'S
Railway Punch Manufactory,
10 EAST BRAINTREE.

INDIAN
VEGETABLE MEDICINES
ARE THE ONLY REMEDIES THAT WILL CUREE CHONIC DISEASES.
DR. Spear has been in active practice for a quarter of a century, during which time he has successfully treated thousands for nearly all the different ills to which human flesh is heir. The great principle in his system is: Discard the use of ALL MINERAL MEDICINES AS NOT ONLY USE LESS BUT DANGEROUS.
Dr. Spear's patients may be met in nearly every town in New England, some of twenty-five years ago; others all the way down to the present time, when he has probably more people under treatment than any other doctor in America.
DR. SPEAR may be consulted on ALL Diseases, free of charge; also by letter, enclose a stamp.
OFFICE
897 Washington Street, Boston.
MASS.

Botanic Bitters
THE GREATEST SPRING AND SUMMER
TONIC
IN THE WORLD.
These Bitters are the most popular medicine ever offered for the cure of
DYSPEPSIA,
BILIOUSNESS,
COLIC,
DIARRHŒA,
FEEBLE APPETITE,
And all sickness arising from the STOMACH.
AS A
BLOOD PURIFIER
THEY ARE UNEQUALLED.
Thousands who have been benefited by them testify to their worth. For Sale Everywhere.
HERZBERG BROTHERS,
46 Vesey Street. New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of CHARLOTTE W. BATES, late of Weymouth, widow, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

BRADFORD HAWES, Adm'r. with the Will annexed.
Weymouth, June 6th, 1877. 7 9

RAND & LATTO,
Photographers,
Having completed the Refurnishing of their
PHOTOGRAPH ROOMS
AT
Weymouth Landing,
Are now prepared to furnish all kinds of first-class Pictures, including the new style Cabinet, with accessories.
We have great success with Pictures of
BABIES AND LITTLE CHILDREN,
And pay particular attention to this branch of business.
COPYING.
Persons having old Pictures which they wish to have copied, can have the work done in the very best manner and with promptness.
Please call and examine specimens.
Pepectfully yours,
RAND & LATTO.

GRASS SEEDS.
JUST RECEIVED, A FRESH SUPPLY OF
Herds Grass,
Blue do.,
Red Top and
Clover Seeds.
Persons in want of Grass Seeds will find it to their advantage to give us a call.
A. J. BATES & CO.,
East Braintree.
4923

FURNITURE,
Carpets, &c.
E. H. BRABROOK,
Nos. 96 & 98 Washington St.,
Corner of Elm Street,
BOSTON,
Has on hand one of the
Largest Assorments of Furniture in the City, and CARPETS from all the Leading Manufacturers.
also,
Window Shades,
Drapery,
AND
Paper
Hangings,
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC.
Order Work a speciality under the Supervision of MONS CHARMOIS.
MR. E. C. CROCKER, of Hingham, is connected with this house, and would be pleased to meet his friends from the South Shore, and show their stock of Goods.

Agricultural Implements.
FULL line of Agricultural Implements for sale at very low prices by S. W. PRATT.

F. B. Bates,
DEALER IN
MUSICAL
INSTRUMENTS.
Special Agent for the sale of t
CELEBRATED
SMITH
AMERICAN ORGANS,
which, (with good usage,) are warranted to keep in repair five years. An assortment of new and second hand instruments constantly on hand, for sale or to let for cash or on the installment plan. Old instruments taken in exchange.
N. B. Organs tuned and repaired.
OFFICE.
Middle Street, East Weymouth.

Enameled Kettles.
JUST received, a full stock of Enameled Kettles, Sauce Pans, Wash Bowls, &c., direct from the manufacturers, which will be sold much cheaper than at any other place. These goods are the only safe ones to use for cooking purposes.
S. W. PRATT

For sale at half price.

THE subscriber now offers for sale TEN PEWS IN THE FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH at Weymouth Landing, for one half of the original valuation for the whole lot.

JOHN O. FOYE.
June 1st, 1877. 5tf

John Phillips,
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BY HENRY DAY, ESQ.

BULL FIGHTS AT MADRID.

The bull-ring of Madrid is a circular amphitheatre, built of brick and stone, 300 feet in diameter, with 20 rows of stone seats, one above another. There is a central seat for the President of the ring, who is generally some gentleman or nobleman. There are also rows of private boxes and the king's box.

A large gate opens into the ring, which is approached by a wide way, connected with the bull stalls in the rear. Each bull is confined in a separate stall, with food and water let down to him from above. The stall is opened with ropes from above. There is a large yard in the rear, connected with the stalls, where the bulls are sometimes baited before the fight.

The bulls intended for the ring are raised in the mountains of the western part of Spain and about Seville, which is the great centre of this sport. The bulls, when one year old, and while in pasture, are tried by the herdsman, who baits them and defies them with his long goad. If they show the white feather they are converted into oxen.—In order to remove these dangerous animals from their pastures to the city, where the fight is to be held, tame oxen are used to entice them to follow into cages or stalls, which are moved on wheels or taken on the railroad. In the same manner they are enticed by the tame oxen into the yard of the bull ring.

The bull-fight is attended by every class, from the king to the peasant.—Some come to see nerve, agility and courage; some to see and feel the tragedy of blood and death; the ladies, who may not be supposed to be enticed by these repulsive features, come to see and be seen—to display their fine faces and fine dresses. When a horse, disemboweled, dragging his intestines, his sides covered with blood, is careering around the ring, pursued and goaded by the bull, or when he falls quivering in his death agony,—when the matador is goaded by his mad bull antagonist and thrown over his head, or the bull falls pierced to the heart,—the ladies have only to shriek and put their fans before their faces until the bodies of horse, man or bull, are drawn out of the ring by the gay team of mules, always ready for the occasion.

The exhibition of each bull consists of three acts, all of which are performed in about twenty minutes. First, at a signal of the president, the door is thrown open, and the bull, dazed by the glare of the light, dashes into the ring. He sees the picadors drawn up on the sight of the ring on horses, each rider having a long pole and a short sword. The bull makes for the first picador, whose skill is shown in turning his horse so as to shun the plunge of the bull or turn him away, or, failing to do this, to put his horse as a shield between himself and the bull. If the bull misses the first picador he dashes for the second, and so on.

This act lasts only a few minutes, but in it many horses are killed by being disemboweled. The treatment of the poor animals is one of the most horrid features of the ring. They are blindfolded, and if only wounded, the wound is sewed up or stopped with tow, and they are again driven into the ring, until death ends their agonies. None but the poorest animals are used for the ring, but the cruelty is all the greater, as their means of defence become less. The bull is never killed by the picadore. If, however, he is a coward and will not charge, he is despatched at once with all manner of hissing and derisive epithets from the crowd. The dogs are set on him, who grapple him by the nose and bring him down, when he is stabbed or houghed—that is, the cords of his hind legs are cut with a long knife from behind—and he is then disposed of and drawn out.

If the bull is a brave animal, after a few minutes' contest with the picador the second act begins. At a signal from the president the trumpet sounds, and a body of young men enter the arena gaily dressed and with colored cloaks.—They flaunt these in the face of the bull and entice him away from the picadors. They are exceedingly dexterous and skillful in escaping from the plunge of the infuriated animal. They will leap over his back and aside, fixing a little goad with a colored ribbon attached, into his neck, one on each side, and exactly opposite.

The last trumpet call announces the third act. The audience are impatient for the death scene. Upon the signal, the matador comes in alone. He bows to the audience, throws his cap on the ground, and swears he will do his whole duty. He has in his right hand a long, slender sword, and in his left a red flag. After enticing the bull, with the flag, to make a few plunges, at the proper moment he darts one side to let the bull pass, and strikes the fatal blow. If he is skillful he pierces him to the heart between the left shoulder and the blade, and so quickly is it done that he draws the slim blade without a drop of blood, brandishing it aloft, while the bull in his last plunge falls, the blood gushing from his nostrils, and dies without a struggle.

One of the pretty girls at an evening reception in Providence, Rhode Island, last week, wore an antique bracelet, the gift of a New York gentleman to whom she was betrothed.—It was an heirloom or his family, and had been brought from Holland, he said, and she said it after him. A New York lady who happened to be present said that it looked like her aunt's bracelet, which had been taken from her in the lobby of a metropolitan theatre. The accepted suitor was asked whether the bracelet did not enclose a picture. "Yes," he said, "that of my sister." "My aunt's," said the lady, "contained Miss Cary's picture." The bracelet was opened—there was Miss Cary's picture.

ENGLISH IDEAS OF LIQUOR SELLING.

An English vicar recently preached a sermon in York Minster, taking for his text, "The Son of Man came eating and drinking." From this the vicar, Rev. F. W. Harper, advanced a decidedly original theory of the benefit of liquor selling and liquor drinking, which must have amused and astonished some of his hearers, to say the least.—Eating and drinking, he said, were God's ministers for men's bodies, even as the clergy were God's ministers for their souls. This was the more excellent way which he desired to commend, that they should discountenance the wrong use of food and drink by rejoicing in their right use; that they should claim the vintner and the victualler as belonging to God, and not that the publican should be regarded as an enemy. To his mind, if the trade of a licensed victualler involved unfitness for service in a church office, it also involved unfitness for any connection with Christ's membership. If that were so, then, in plain words, they were asked to regard the whole publican interest as the devil's agent, doing the devil's work. He declined so to regard it, and believed that it could be made a great power for God.

It was his firm conviction, as it had been the conviction of many far wiser and better men, that wine and ale were among the brightest and best of God's bounties to his creature men, and that their use, so far from being unmanly, made the man who could not rightfully enjoy them so much less the man. As the old Latin saying ran, the worst of all bad things was a good thing spoiled. As life and speech were gifts which we were not called to dispense with because each was abused, so was wine one of God's good gifts.

After some remarks in support of his position, the vicar spoke of the miseries arising from the abuse of intoxicants and observed that the dealers ought to be appealed to to put their shoulders to the wheel and help—not by giving up their trade, but by turning it into the blessing which it should be. Brewers and vintners, licensed victuallers and publicans, all the various members of the feeding and drinking trades, these were the people who above all others should be most frequent at church, most regular at the Communion, most in alliance with and to be relied upon by the clergy, and the most ready to open their large rooms for meetings and associations to promote the mental, moral, and spiritual good of mankind. They were just the people, at least they should be, for they were just in the position for working the work of God as no other people could work it. The spirit and the body were the Lord's, and the Bible and beer, taken rightly, were the Lord's too. The beer would not do without the Bible, and the Bible would not do fully and perfectly without the beer. The publican should feel himself to be a public man, and be desirous of promoting the public welfare. If publicans were in earnest, they would at once give public permission to the clergy of their several parishes to go as welcome visitors to their premises; and if such of the clergy as took such view were in earnest, they would largely avail themselves of the invitation not to go as a sort of policeman, but to make themselves at home there.

The above summary of the vicar's remarks is given in the York Herald, and we might conclude it was an effort of reportorial satire rather than the sober utterance of the vicar.

THE WOLF AND THE KID.

A Prudent Goat, having occasion to go and see a Nan, gave her only Kid many Injunctions to insure its Safety during her Absence. Shortly after a Wolf, making a round of pastoral Visits, knocked at the Door. "Who is there?" said the Kid, peeping through the front Parlor Blinds. "Your Cousin from Philadelphia," replied the Wolf; "do you not remember how you visited me at the Centennial? I have come to return the Call and make a nice long stay." "Oh, that is Played," answered the Kid, contemptuously, "my Mother was a Childless Orphan, my Father began Life at a very early Age on a Door-step with no Capital but a Newspaper, and I was Changed at Birth. You are barking up the wrong Genealogical Tree." "I must have mistaken the House," said the Wolf; "besides, Kid never agrees with me." Saying which he departed to get some Spring Lamb *au naturel*.

GEN. GRANT IN LONDON.

The golden casket presented to Gen. Grant by the city of London, and containing the freedom of the city, is in the cinque cento style, oblong, the corners mounted by American eagles and beautifully decorated. On the reverse side is a view of the entrance to the Guildhall, and an appropriate inscription. At the ends are two figures, also in gold, finely modelled and chased, representing the city of London and the United States and bearing their respective shields, the later executed in rich enamel. At the corners are double columns laurel wreathed with corn and cotton, and on the cover a cornucopia, emblematic of the fertility and prosperity of the United States.—The rose, shamrock and thistle are also introduced. The cover is surmounted by the arms of the City of London.—The casket is supported by American eagles, modelled and chased in gold, the whole standing on a velvet plinth decorated with stars and stripes.

PRAYER.—Lamartine, the French patriot, denominates prayer as "the instinct so true to our powerless nature," and says, "Prayer is the sacred breath of man, which the children of Adam have transmitted with their joys and their sorrows. Prayer was not invented; it was born with the first sigh, with the first joy of the human heart; or, rather, man was born to pray, to glorify God, or to implore him. All else perishes before him, or with him. But the cry of glory, of admiration, or of love, does not perish on his passing from the earth. It reascends, it resounds from age to age in the era of the Almighty, like the echo of his own voice, like the reflection of his own magnificence."

BORAX.

This salt was first discovered in the tenth century, but not until the eighteenth was its chemical nature understood. It is sometimes prepared from the natural product, boric acid, and is itself a compound of soda and boracic acid. It is also found native in different parts of the world, the principal lakes being in Thibet and Persia, while our own land is rich in having two lakes in Nevada and one in California, the latter one being regarded as inexhaustible. At Lake Clear, which lies 250 miles north of San Francisco, 4,000 lbs. of borax are produced every day. The purification of borax was originally a secret possessed by the Dutch and Venetians only, but is now, owing to the developement of chemical science, practiced in most manufacturing countries. The chief peculiarity in the refining of borax consists in separating the fatty matter by means of lime, which forms an insoluble soap, and by getting rid of saline impurities by careful crystallization. In California the muck which contains it is obtained by dredging, dried in the sun, and the borax dissolved out and crystallized. Nature has been very lavish in her gift of this most valuable article, the nature and uses of which are as yet scarcely understood. It is fast finding its way as a standard article in every grocer's stock, and when its uses and properties are thoroughly understood by consumers it will have an immense sale. It possesses very valuable remedial properties, a few of which we will name.

It will, when snuffed up the nostrils in a weak solution, so as to cause it to pass through the nasal passage to the throat, and then ejected from the mouth, greatly relieve catarrh. It is also very beneficial in case of inflamed or weak eyes. Difficult cases of sore throat yield to a treatment with borax. As a wash for the head it not only leaves the scalp very white and clean, but renders the hair soft and glossy. In cases of nervous headache it has been found invaluable. Many other cases might be named where borax is an efficient remedy, but enough has been given to show its great utility as a medicinal remedy. The average strength of the solution should be a small teaspoonful to a toilet glass of water.

The following from the *Scientific American* is of interest to grocers: "The Pittsburg *Ledger* has a notice gathered from French medical papers and confirmed by physicians from New York, regarding diseases propagated by the free use of soap. The prevalence of diptheria among washerwomen first drew attention to the matter, and chemical investigation traced the disease to the soap. It is well known that domestic soap fat is foul stuff. It is long gathering; putrescence usually sets in before it goes into the boilers of the factory. Fat that comes from dead animals goes into the soap boiler. Often the animal was diseased, and always it is tainted with mortuary matter. Continual rubbing in hot water causes absorption of the poison through the pores of the skin, and it attacks the most susceptible organs. The commission in Paris reports this poison most apparent in toilet soaps, and those most scented are the worst. Probably the resin so much used in common laundry soaps has a counter effect. Borax freely used counteracts the baneful effects of the poison."

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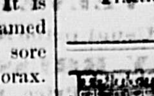

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Newport, at 8 20 AM; 12.00 M; 3.30, 6 (boat) PM.—**Return**, 7.20, 10.40 AM; 3.45 PM.
Fall River via **Taunton**, 8.20 AM; 12.00 M; 3.30, 4.30,6.00PM: via **Bridgewater**,8.00 AM; 4PM. **Return** via **Taunton**, 5.30*h*, 6.50, 8, 11.20 AM; 4.18 PM; via **Bridgewater**, 6.30 AM; 3.15 PM.
Taunton, 8.20 AM; 12 M; 3.30, 4.30,6PM. **Return** 7.33, 8.45 AM; 12 M; 5 PM.
North Easton, Stoughton, Randolph, 8.20 AM; 12 M; 3.30, 4.30, 6.05 PM. **Return, North Easton**, 6.52, 7.59, 9.05 AM; 12.25, 5.22 PM. **Return, Stoughton**, 6.59, 8.07, 9.12 AM; 12.33, 5.29 PM. **Return, Randolph**, 7.10, 8.16, 9.19 AM; 12.45, 5.37 PM.
Middleboro, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 3.32, 4, 6.05 PM.—**Return**, 6.10, 7.20, 9.15 AM; 12.20, 4.13, 6.24 PM.
Bridgewater, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 12 M; 3.32, 4, 5, 6.05 PM. **Return**, 6.30, 7.38, 9.32 AM; 12.37, 4.36, 6.43 PM.
Brockton, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 1.50, 3.32, 4, 6.05 PM. **Return**, 6.54, 8, 9.47 AM; 12.58, 3.16, 5.7.02PM.
Plymouth via **Abington**, 8 AM; 2.30, 4, 5 PM; via **Duxbury**, 7.45 AM; 3.30, 5.30*g* PM. **Return** via **Abington**, 6.30, 7.40, 11 AM; 3.40 PM; via **Duxbury**, 8.40 AM; 4.20 PM.
East Bridgewater, 8.00 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 5 PM.—**Return** 6.55, 9.53 AM; 3.05 PM.
South Abington, 8 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 5, 6.15 PM.—**Return**, 6.15, 7.12, 10.10, 11.33 AM; 4.15 PM.
South Weymouth, 8 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 4, 5, 6.15 PM. **Return**, 6.34, 7.32, 10.30, 11.55 AM; 4.34 PM.
South Duxbury, 7.45 AM; 3.30, 5.30PM. **Return**, 7, 9.01 AM; 4.40 PM.
Cohasset, Hingham, Weymouth and East Weymouth, 7.45, 11.15 AM; 2.30, 3.30, 5.30, 6.15 PM. **Return, Cohasset**, 6.44, 7.48, 9.50 AM; 1.16, 4.05, 5.40 PM. **Return, Hingham**, 6.57, 7.58, 10.03 AM; 1.29, 4.20, 5.55 PM. **Return, East Weymouth**, 7.07, 8.05, 10.12 AM; 1.39, 4.30, 6.06 PM. **Return, Weymouth**, 7.16, 8.14, 10.21 AM; 1.49, 4.40, 6.17 PM.
Nantasket, 7.45, 11.15 AM; 2.30, 5.30, 6.15 PM.—**Return**, 6.51, 9.57 AM; 1.23, 4.14, 6.48 PM.
South Braintree, 6.45, 7.30, 8, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50, 11, 11.15*f* AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4*f*, 4.05, 4.30, 5, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15PM. **Return** 5.55, 6.44, 7.19, 7.25, 7.42, 8.29, 8.55, 9.32, 10.41 AM; 12.04, 12.53, 1.20, 1.52, 3.42, 4.45, 4.55, 5.21, 5.45, 7.18, 8.25, 10.20 PM.
Braintree, 6.45, 7.30, 7.45, 8, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50 11.15*f* AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.30, 3.32, 4.05, 5, 5.30, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return**, 6, 6.48, 7.25, 7.30, 7.45, 7.47, 8.21, 8.55, 9.36, 10.30, 10.45 AM; 12.57, 1.59, 3.47, 4.51, 4.59, 5.48, 6.27, 8.28, 10.24 PM.
Quincy, 6.45, 7.30, 7.45, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return**, 6.06, 6.54, 7.30, 7.36, 7.52, 8.26, 8.37, 9.01, 9.42, 10.36 AM; 12.11, 1.02, 2.06, 3.55, 4.56, 5.05, 5.54, 6.34, 7.25, 8.34, 10.30 PM.
Wollaston Heights, 6.45, 7.30, 9.30, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5.32, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return**, 6.10, 6.58, 7.40, 7.55, 9.05, 9.46, 10.39 AM; 1.04, 2.09, 4, 5.08, 6.37, 8.38, 10.33 PM.
Neponset, 6.45, 7.30, 8.20, 9.30, 10.15, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 12.40, 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 5, 5.30*f*, 5.32, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return**, 6.17, 7.05, 7.47, 8.09, 8.37, 9.13, 9.52, 10.43, 11.08 AM; 12.19, 12.50, 2.17, 4.07, 5.16, 6.02, 6.43, 8.45, 10.39 PM.
Harrison Square, 6.45, 7.30, 8.20, 9, 9.30, 10.15, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 12.40, 1.50, 3, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5.05, 5.32, 6.25, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM.—**Return**, 6.23, 7.11, 7.51, 8.15, 9.03, 9.18, 9.56, 10.32, 11.12 AM; 12.54, 2.07, 2.21, 4.12, 5.20, 6.12, 6.47, 8.53, 10.43 PM.
West Quincy, 7.45, 9.30 AM; 12.40, 2.30, 5, 6.15 PM. **Return**, 6.48, 7.54, 8.50, 10.53AM; 2.5, 6.17PM.
Milton Lower Mills, 6.45, 7.30, 9, (10.15 via Neponset) AM; 1.3, 4.05, (5.30 via Neponset.) 6.25, 9.30*a*, 11.15*c* PM. **Return**, 6.06, 6.54, 7.59, (8.31 via Neponset.) 8.49, 10.18 AM; (12.42 via Neponset), 1.53, 3.57, (5.05 via Neponset.) 5.58, 8.37*a*, 10.27*c* PM.
Field's Corner and Ashmont, 6.45, 7.30, 9 AM; 1, 3, 4.05, 5.05, 6.25, 9.30*a*, 11.15*c* PM. **Return, Field's Corner**, 6.18, 7.06, 8, 10, 9, 10.29 AM; 2.04, 4.08, 6.09, 8.48*a*, 10.38*c* PM. **Return, Ashmont**, 6.12, 7, 8.04, 8.54, 10.23 AM; 1.58, 4.02, 6.03, 8.42*a*, 10.32*c* PM.
Sandwich, 8 AM; 4, 6.05*g* PM. **Return**, 6*d*, 7.46AM; 2.43 PM.
Hyannis, 8 AM; 4, 6.05*g* PM. **Return**, 5.15*d*, 7AM; 1.53 PM.
Provincetown, 8 AM; 4 PM. **Return**, 5.15, 11 AM.
Wood's Holl, 8, 11.15 AM; 4 PM. **Return**, 7.30, 11 AM; 2.20, 5 PM.
Martha's Vineyard, 8, 11.15 AM; 4 PM.
Nantucket, 11.15 AM. Wednesdays and Saturdays excepted; 4 PM. Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

New York, 7 PM.
Fall River, via Bridgewater, 5 PM; **Return**, via Taunton 5.30*h* AM; via Bridgewater 7.30 AM.
South Braintree, 5.45, 8.15 AM; 12.45, 5 PM. **Return** (South Braintree), 9.18 AM; 1.43, 6, 8.18 PM.
Milton, Mattapan & Shawmut Branch, 1, 5.30, 10.00 PM. **Return** (Milton), 9.39 AM; 2.19, 6.29 PM.
Weymouth, Hingham, Nantasket, Cohasset, D. & C. R. R., Plymouth, 8.35 AM. **Return, Plymouth**, 3.50 PM., Cohasset, 5 PM, Nantasket 5.05 PM, Hingham, 5.12 PM, E. Weymouth 5.20, Weymouth 5.29.
Oak Bluffs, Nantucket and Hyannis, 5.45 AM. Return, Hyannis, 5.30 PM, Nantucket 2.15 PM, Oak Bluffs, 5 PM.

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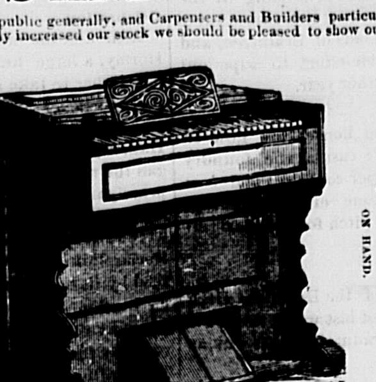

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150 DOZEN
GENTLEMEN'S DRESS SHIRTS,
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LITERATURE.

CROQUET.

Early in the morn the mallets were sounding,
Aye, before the dawn of the day,
Merrily and cheerily, voices abounding
With music and gladness care driving away.
Croquet, Croquet,
Most enjoyable Croquet.

The sun wends its course, sends abroad scorching rays,
Still the contestants continue their rounds,
No shade to protect from fierce heat, through long days,
Yet naught is so inviting as these nicely tanned grounds.
Croquet, Croquet,
Bewitching, winsome Croquet.

The women may plead, the children may fret,
The workmen await the orders to come,
Alas! Croquet holds firm sway o'er all yet,
No attractions equal this, in either business or home.
Abominable Croquet,
Must all surrender to Croquet?

Fierce wages the contest, though a booby yet is one,
Three times he has attempted, (the enemy says four,)
Still, a partner, a rover, to his assistance may come,
Though he thinks he could not pass were the wicket a barn door.
There is war in Croquet,
As in battle array.

Ah! the last shall be first, we hear one say,
For the booby, encouraged by his partner so strong,
Once started, kept the night, croqueted all in his way,
Entered rovership, at one long sweep of the ground,
And victoriously does he say,
We'll triumph yet in Croquet.

The dinner hour passes, this game must be finished,
No withdrawal from the contest one and all do declare,
So important a victory must not be relinquished,
All for croquet must await and forbear.
But relentless Croquet,
Wilt thy reign ne'er give way?

The afternoon wanes, the sun sinks low,
The game most surely must be decided soon,
A reprieve must be given, but the wonder is now,
How to meet cheery countenances awaiting at home.
The heartfelt dread, Croquet,
Of the reprimands of this day.

One had promised a ride with his wife to the shore,
Another was to call the doctor to attend
A sick child, while a third, ah, had complained o'er and o'er,
No time to hoe the garden, or that harness to mend.
But once home, each say,
Such pressing business, not Croquet.

Tea service over, the game to continue,
Each rushes wildly through the street to the work,
These long weary hours are bravely struggled through
With mallets and balls,—Croquet they never shirk.
All is endured for Croquet,
Irresistible Croquet.

Threatening clouds gather around, distant thunder resounds,
The rain comes, fierce lightnings flash, peal upon peal reverberates o'er,
Nowise daunted, brave croquerers, with umbrellas held their rounds,
Such energy, such resoluteness, is scarcely appreciated I fear.
Yet for naught will Croquet
Renounce her full sway.

The evening is far avanced, the small hours are close here,
E'er Queen Croquet her court will permit her subjects to close,
Then wearily exhausted, each seeks his home dear,
To be doctored and dosed by all in the house.
Still all cling to Croquet;
What, forsake thee? Nay, Nay.

Merciless Croquet chains her victims so severely,
There is no escaping, in her toils once bound,
Homes forsaken, friends forgotten, once prized so dearly,
They are lost—lost—lost,—found only on the Croquet ground.
Oh! release us, Croquet,
Grant our freedom, Croquet.

ARESCIE.

FATHER MORRIS.

Of all the marvels that astonished my childhood, there is none that I remember to this day with so much interest as the old man whose name forms my caption. When I knew him, he was an aged clergyman, settled over an obscure village in New England. He had enjoyed the advantages of a liberal education, had a strong original power of thought, an omnipotent imagination, and much general information; but so early and so deeply had the habits and associations of the plough, the farm, and country life wrought themselves into his mind, that his after acquirements could only mingle with them, forming an unexampled amalgam like unto nothing but itself.

He was an ingrain New Englander, and whatever might have been the source of his information, it came out in Yankee form, with strong provincially of Yankee dialect.

It is in vain to attempt to give a full picture of such a genuine *unique*; but some slight and imperfect dashes may help the imagination to a faint idea of what none can fully conceive but those who have seen and heard old Faher Morris.

Suppose yourself one of half a dozen children, and you hear the cry, "Father Morris is coming!" You run to the window or door, and you see a tall, bulky old man, with a pair of saddle bags on one arm, hitching his old horse with a fumbling carefulness and then deliberately stumping toward the house. You notice his tranquil, staid, full-moon face, enlightened by a pair of great round blue eyes, that roll with dreamy inattentiveness on all the objects around; and as he takes of his hat, you see the white curling wig that sets off his round head. He come towards you, and as you stand staring, with all the children around, he deberately puts his great hand on your cad, and with deep, rumbling voice, inquires: "How d'ye do, my darter? is your daddy at home?" "My darter" usually makes off as fast as possible, a an unconquerable giggle. Father Morris goes into the house, and we watch him at every turn, as with the most liberal simplicity, he makes himself at home, takes off his wig, wipes down his great face with a checked pocket handkerchief, helps himself hither and thither to whatever he wants, and asks for such things as he cannot lay his hands on, with all the comfortable easiness of childhood.

I remember to this day how we used to peep through the crack of the door, or hold it half ajar and peer in, to watch his motions; and how mightily diverted we were with his deep, slow manner of speaking, his heavy, cumbrous walk, but, above all, with the wonderful faculty of "*hemming*" which he possessed.

His deep, thundering, protracted "A-hem-em" was like nothing else that ever I heard; and when once, as he was in the midst of these performances, the parlor door suddenly happened to swing open, I heard one of my roguish brothers calling in a suppressed tone, Charles! Charles! Father Morris has *hemmed* the door open!"—and then followed the signs of a long and desperate titter, in which I sincerely sympathized.

But the morrow is Sunday. The old man rises in the pulpit. He is not now in his own humble little parish, preaching simply to the hoers of corn and planters of potatoes, but there sits Gov. D., and there is Judge R., and Counsellor P., and Judge G. In short he is before a refined and literary audience. But Father Morris rises; he thinks nothing of this; he cares nothing; he knows nothing, as he himself would say, but "Jesus Christ and him crucified." He takes a passage of Scripture to explain; perhaps it is the walk of Emmaus, and the conversation of Jesus with his disciples. Immediately the whole start out before you, living and picturesque: the road to Emmaus is a New England turnpike; you can see its mile stones, its mullein stalks, its toll gates. Next the disciples rise, and you have before you all the anguish, and hesitation, and dismay talked out to you in the language of your own fireside. You smile; you are amused; yet you are touched; and the illusion grows every moment. You see the approaching stranger, and the mysterious conversation grows more and more interesting. Emmaus rises in the distance, in the likeness of a New England village, with a white meeting house and a spire. You follow the travellers; you enter the house with them; nor do you wake from your trance until, with streaming eyes, the preacher tells you that "they saw it was the Lord Jesus—and *what a pity* it was they could not have known it before!"

Father Morris sometimes used his illustrative talent to very good purpose in the way of rebuke. He had on his farm a fine orchard of peaches, from which some of the ten and twelve-year-old gentlemen helped themselves more liberally than even the old man's kindness thought expedient.

Accordingly, he took occasion to introduce into his sermon one Sunday, in his little parish, an account of a journey he took; and how he was "very warm and very dry;" and how he saw a fine orchard of peaches that made his mouth water to look at them. "So," says he, "I came up to the fence and looked all around, for I would not have touched one of them *without leave* for all the world. At last I spied a man, and says I, 'Mister, won't you give me some of your peaches?' So the man came and gave me nigh about a hat full. And while I stood there eating, I said, 'Mister, how do you manage to keep your peaches?' 'Keep them!' said he, and he stared at me; 'what do you mean?' 'Yes, sir,' said I, 'don't the boys steal them?' 'Boys steal them!' said he. 'No, indeed!' 'Why sir,' said I, 'I have a whole lot full of peaches, and cannot get half of them,'—here the old man's voice grew tremulous—'because the boys in my parish steal them so.' 'Why sir,' said he, 'don't their parents teach them not to steal?' And I grew all over in a cold sweat, and I told him 'I was afeard they didn't.' 'Why how you talk!' says the man; 'do tell me where you live?' Then," said Father Morris, the tears running over, "I was obliged to tell him I lived in the town of G."—After this Father Morris kept his peaches.

NOTHING TO WEAR.

A number of young ladies found themselves in a sad plight recently, walking the streets of Mott Haven, N. Y. These ladies had taken a plunge at Harlem River, and on repairing to their improvised dressing room, they found that their street attire had been stolen. Whether this was a practical joke or a felony the young women were unable to determine. Their clothing was not returned and they were compelled to return to their homes with only bathing suits as their attire.

SEA DEPTHS.

The most ingenious of all contrivances for finding the depth of the sea is Siemen's Bathometer, a very recent invention. The bathometer simply stands in the captain's cabin like a barometer, and indicates the depth of the sea over which the ship is passing, just as a barometer indicates the height of the atmosphere above. The action of this ingenious contrivance depends on the attraction of the earth on a column of mercury.

FAITHFULNESS.

In these days when such formidable and important discoveries are being made in almost every field of human inquiry, and investigation for the purpose of discovering unknown truths is being pushed almost to the limits of the knowable; when all beliefs are being subjected to a thorough and careful analysis, and religion itself to scientific tests; when speculation has free rein, and men just say the thing they would, it behooves every one, in such circumstances of general irresolution, on no account to let go, or waive for an instant, those old and noble distinctions in moral conduct which have been made with the laudable purpose of drawing a hard and fast line between what is wrong, and that which is right and praiseworthy. The brilliant firework which attracts and wins the applause of the crowd is as evanescent and useless, as it is bright and dazzling, whilst the comparatively dull, but steady and social fire upon our hearths, gives us warmth and comfort.

Faithfulness in conduct is one of the cardinal virtues, and homogeneous with them all. It includes adherence to truth, to compact, to honesty and to duty. In whatever sphere of human activity we contemplate the evident existence of this principle, it is suggestive of strength reliance, and security. If we consult history, we find personal, social, and public faithfulness embalmed and crowned with laurel. Here we have a "great cloud of witnesses who have washed their robes and made them *white*" in *faithfulness* to their obligations. They were faithful on the fields "where host encountered host;" faithful on the highways and byways of life; faithful in the senate and in the closet, in the palace and in the garret, faithful in all attitudes of fame and fortune, adverse or otherwise, and to whom the world owes much, and will not willingly let their name die, for they have had their name inscribed upon the scroll of fame higher than that of the Pharaohs, and they will be had in everlasting remembrance.

But it is just here we purpose to pause and consider briefly an enigma or inconsistency of human nature. We have all that within us which leads us to admire moral heroism; we contemplate with awe the heroic act of Codrus the Athenian king, and that of Regulus submitting to voluntary torture for the glory of Rome. We admire the conduct of the guide who plunged into the quicksand to warn and save his companions; we admire the motives, and lives of self-sacrifice of John Howard and of Florence Nightingale, and our admiration of the Pilgrim Fathers never pales or grows weary while we read or listen to a recital of their virtues; and there is not one in this community who has come to the years of reflection but who, if called to witness an act of self abnegation dictated by faithfulness to principle, but would not nor could not help applauding the deed. And yet "how strange, how passing strange," that notwithstanding this capacity which we all have, and which enables us to admire and appreciate the nobility and faithfulness of others, and notwithstanding all those examples we have in ancient and contemporary history, examples which have been recorded for the very purposes of instruction and *inspiration*, that they should have so little effect in producing a like character in us. It is indeed a sad reflection on human nature that the faithful pastor finds it to be his duty, and often a painful one, to address words of admonition to his people, and to give "line upon line and precept upon precept," urging them to faithfulness in the discharge of their obligations as men and as christians, to love and practice what is good and honest, and eschew the very appearance of a collusion with unfaithfulness to moral obligations. The faithful superintendent of a public work, too, has seven-eighths of his time occupied in watching the help, and making them "toe the line." Faithfulness, the real spirit of true service, does not depend upon the size of a man, the length of his hair, or the size of his foot, but on a condition of the conscience. Hence, the boy that spits out his life tending a dusty card, may be more faithful than the man who holds a much higher position, and who may have accumulated what he has by sheer *dodging*. How often has the employer of labor to address his help in the plain words of the Moral Law, "Thou shalt not steal," and with the moral certainty that the injunction will be disregarded. The fact is, the sole affiance we have to faithfulness is only in *contemplation*; we hit this noble principle in the face, and trail it in the dust, in the practice of our daily conduct. But it is well for us to know that this principle is made for us to obey, whether we acknowledge it or not. It is like the law of gravity; it is inherent in the nature of things. The moral law is inherent in eternity. "Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my word shall not pass away."

MAC.

— Neither cattle nor horses should be stalled in a dark stable, as all animals require light in the day-time. A horse kept for months in a dark stable would be liable to become blind.

— The humblest can do something toward making the local paper interesting. If you cannot be a defaulting bank-clerk, you can, at least, step on a piece of orange-peel and sprain your ear.

— Gold is an eighth of a cent lower. Now is the time to get your teeth filled.

THE MARKET GARDENERS.

To us who live in an atmosphere redolent with the smell of burning leather chips and see on every corner the indispensable shoe factory; or if perchance we catch a gleam between of cultivated fields, we see the grain sickly from its efforts to push its way between the stones that lie so thickly as to be like the Irishman's land, "two stones to one dirt."—to us, I say, who thus live, move and have our being in the midst of leather and its productions, and feel the growing uncertainty of regular employment, the words of our lamented statesman, "Young man, go west," fall upon our ears with an attractive power. And I repeat his words with emphasis, "Young man, go west"—not to the regions of alkaline deserts, nor to those regions whence came that beautiful insect that is now being so closely examined by entomologists and farmers, who are so carefully preserving them in kerosene, but west from us, in our own favored state, where no fevers rage or chills shake, where the church and the school house, the representatives of virtue and intelligence, rise in every village and where can be found scenes of rural loveliness unsurpassed in any state in the Union. Let us take a little trip westward and northward from Boston, and see whence this endless supply of vegetables which daily fill the markets and the people of Eastern Massachusetts. As we drive out from Boston, 30 minutes ride will bring us to Campridge, Arlington and Winchester, the great gardens of Boston,—miles upon miles of land with rich alluvial soil, stoneless and weedless; each plantation enclosed by a high board fence, and every inch improved; land yielding a thousand dollars to the acre per annum, from much of which four crops a year are taken. Here we see acres under glass where the earlier crops are forced, that the farmers may successfully compete with New Jersey and the farther south.

You stand and see the surging multitude, and you ask, how can this great people be fed? You ride through these thousands of acres of gardens, and you ask, where can this illimitable quantity of produce be used? But not to linger. Five or six miles drive takes you to that quiet village forever sacred in the memories of the sons of the Pilgrims, when stern resistance to the armed tyranny of the Mother Country gave us a country and a republic. We stand beside the quaint monument on Lexington green and we forget that other monuments are more imposing, and we seem almost to see around us the brave men who

"Left their ploughshares in the mould,
Their flocks and herds without a fold,
And gathered in their simple dress,
For wrongs to seek a stern redress."

We stand and gaze almost with awe upon those dwellings which received the bullets on that bloody day. You find here the building used by Massachusetts at the Centenniaial Exposition, now being converted into a tavern, and we have the assurance that no bar will be kept, but that the house will be conducted on strictly temperance principles. Here we find large hay farms, much of the hay being taken to Boston and sold loose.

Quiet reigns around; in the village the dwellings are largely owned by people doing business in Boston,—men of wealth and influence, who fully spend their abundant means in beautifying their estates. An hour's ride over a hilly country, dotted with farm houses, and we come to Concord, rich in its memories of "days of yore." Here in the lap of this old town have come those who have left their impress upon the world, and are still, though some are now dead, wielding a mighty influence. Here lived Thoreau, Hawthorne, Emerson, Alcott, and a host of those whose writings have charmed the world. The streets are beautifully laid out and shaded with the most magnificent trees—rock maple, elm and chestnut, in rich profusion. The abundance of water introduced into the town is used on nearly every lawn, in fountains of every conceivable style, which makes the lawns like the finest green velvet.

We visit the Library building, the gift of Wm. Munroe, Esq., and which now contains some 7000 volumes. The whole expense of the library, thus far, has been about $8000. We also visited the hallowed ground where the yeomen of Concord opposed the progress of the British forces. A beautiful monument marks the spot, on the top of which is a bronze statue, the design of a citizen of Concord, representing the citizen soldier of the Revolution. Few statues are truer to life; the veins and muscles of the arm bespeaking the firm grasp of determination, and the face showing the intensity of earnestness.

The Charles River here flows sluggishly along, with a fall of only eleven inches for eleven miles, affording opportunities for bathing, boating and fishing, which are improved by the young people. Fish are abundant, and the quality we can affirm from knowledge to be excellent.

From the monument, past the "Manse" made famous by Hawthorne, we drive to the Cemetery of "Sleepy Hollow." A glance at the names on the monuments shows that here rest many of the finest intellects of the country. The grounds are finely laid out, and the monumental work is very elaborate.—Let us leave our carriage while we climb "old Ponkatoset." This eminence lies north of the cemetery, and a walk of five minutes from the street, over rocks and stumps, brings us to its summit.—But we forget the labor in the magnificence of the prospect which greets us at the summit. For twenty miles on all sides the view is unbroken; the mountain ranges of New Hampshire are before us; old Monadnock in the distance, like a sentinel stands in full relief, while Wachuset and a host of lesser peaks are in full view, and we revel in the marvellous beauty. The perfect quiet of the scene soothes while it charms, with white farm houses nestling among the valleys, and fields of corn not yet so large but the green blades and the rich brown mould form a pleasing contrast.

Leaving this scene of verdure and beauty, we turn to visit the new State Prison, which is being erected in Concord at enormous expense. It is an immense structure, built of brick, and its evident capacity very many times exceeds the prison at Charlestown.

X.

Whittlings.

— "When a man gets on the down hill road of misfortune about the only consolation left him seems to be to kick any other man who happens to be going down still faster."

— Men who travel barefooted around a newly carpeted bedroom often find themselves on the wrong tack.

— A man in Austin, Nev., did no work for nineteen years. This was in accordance with a solemn vow never to labor again. One day his resolution was overcome by his wife's arguments, and he went to work on a new building. What was the result? He fell from a scaffolding and was killed.

— In consequence of the large number of hotel clerks and barbers out of employment this year, It is expected that the rush of Italian Counts, English Lords and foreign noblemen generally, at the watering places this summer, will be larger than ever before known.

— Workmen engaged in digging a cellar for a warehouse in Charles street, near Camden street, Baltimore, struck a mass of timber, very much decayed, which turns out to be one side of the hull of a small sized sailing vessel that was wrecked there more than a century ago.

— The kind and gentle breeze which fans our cheek and moves the timid violet to our notice is the same power that lifts the coattail of the youth of the land and betrays a light colored patch on the seat of a black pair of pants—a monument to remind us of mother's love and the hard times.

— An untoward entry into this world would seem to have been made at Dundee, where there has recently been born a male child with two stomachs.

— An Irish agricultural journal says that potatoes should be boiled in cold water.

— By the laws of Florida no man who has lost an arm or a leg, no matter how or when, or from what cause, can be taxed for any business he may enter into, always excepting the liquor business.

— "The latest thing in linen dusters" is a perspiring couple with four handbags, a lunch-basket, two umbrellas, travelling shawl, and a baby, who pant in at one end of the station as the train puffs out at the other.

— A part of the bottom of Leavenworth has fallen out, allowing the water to run out of a pond through a new hole in the ground.

— As the season approaches, we would state for housewives, it takes fourteen pounds of sugar to one pound of gooseberries.

— The next census will show a larger increase in population and production in Texas than in any other State.

— An Irishmen in the pit of a Dublin theatre seeing some people about to throw an obstreperous fellow in the gallery over the railing, and being much exasperated by a bad orchestra, cried out loudly: "Don't waste him, kill a fiddler with him."

— Twenty-eight Chinese boys are on their way to English and French naval colleges.

"The Inebriate's Home," says a morning paper. Glad to hear it. Hope he'll stay there.

— Thomas Andrews, formerly collector of New York, who died recently, worth half a million, began with a capital of $200, and his first business stand was a loft, which he hired for $100.

— A light that Judge Hilton cannot put out—the Israelite.

— The death is announced of the celebrated old orange-tree at Versailles, the "Grand Bourbon;" it is said to have been nearly 450 years old.

— The new patent icepick is warranted also to kill chromo agents.

— In Basle, Switzerland, a new method of slaughtering cattle has been adopted; an explosive cartridge is placed on the animal's head, and is discharged by a blow of a hammer.

— Wine is made from oranges extensively in St. Augustine, Fla.

— It is understood that a young married couple are thinking of naming their first-born "Nicsie," because the little chap needs revictualling so often.

— Before any dress braid is used it should be well washed in hot soap suds, in order to shrink it and to remove the oil, which, if left in, will catch the dust and make the braid look faded and soiled in a few wearings.

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LETTER FROM GEN. B. F. PRATT.

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Editor Weymouth Gazette:

In this out of the world mining camp, as it were, where the mail comes only once a week, and where there is no telegraph office,—shut out from the rest of the world more than six months of the year by reason of the deep snows covering the mountain passes that lead to this place, I thought I would write you a few lines. After travelling over the snow covered ridges of the Rocky Mountains from Lake City the transition to this beautiful valley of the Uncompahgre is a most delightful one to the traveller. This town, the county seat of Ouray County, is situated on the Uncompahgre river, at its junction with Canon Creek, at the very head of the Uncompahgre Valley, and five miles from the boundaries of the Indian Reservation. It is in the southwestern part of the State, on the western slope of the Rocky Mountains surrounded by some of their highest peaks whose tops are always covered with snow, and where the waters run into the Colorado river, thence into the Pacific Ocean. This was formerly an old Indian camp, and derived its name from the chief of the Ute tribe, whose name was Ouray. The name of the valley, Uncompahgre, means in the Ute language, "Valley of Fountains," and such indeed it is. At the time I now write, this valley is carpeted with rich grass, and adorned with flowers of many hues. Fine groups of pines and spruces dot the valley in many directions, and the lighter colors of the vigorous cottonwood lend a charming hue to the landscape. In this beautiful spot is located the famous Hot Spring, a huge cauldron, eight feet wide, and of unknown depth, from which issues hot water, from the great laboratory of Nature. Its waters are about 110° heat, and are greatly prized for their medicinal effects. The first house was built in Ouray about a year and a half ago; most of the houses now are log cabins, but some frames are going up, and if lumber can be supplied in sufficient quantities, frame houses will be all the rage. There are probably from one hundred to a hundred and fifty houses, large and small, and about five or six hundred people. There is a saw mill here, but it is unable to supply the demand for lumber. There are several coal veins down the river from three miles onward, but their extent or value are unknown. There is only one hotel here, and one restaurant. All about town, and for two miles below, are hot and warm springs, the waters of which seem nearly pure, and taste very sweet. Only two or three small springs show sulphur.

A mile below town is the Highland View, a mine which yields a hundred dollars a ton in gold. It is reported as sold recently for $20,000. Near by is the Plutus, of the same character, (both being honeycombed quartz veins,) from which 300 lbs. of rock gave three ounces of gold. In the southwestern part of the town is a group of mines in sandstone, limestone and porphyry, or quartzite. I could not discover that any one of them is a continuous vein, but small pockets of ore, scattered through the mass. The ore is grey copper, galena, copper and iron pyrites, and some of it is very rich. From one of these mines, the Trout, 1200 lbs. of ore gave 260 ounces of silver. The Fisherman gives about two hundred ounces of silver to a ton of ore. Several other mines that are opened near here, give about the same quantity of silver, some more, some less, to the ton of ore. Eight miles up Canon Creek is Mt. Sniffles District, where there are some famous rich mines, some of which produce over 600 ounces of silver to the ton of ore. Many of these ores are heavy with galena, some as high as seventy per ct. of that metal. There are scores of mines near here, that might be mentioned, but I must defer to some other time. As there are no reduction mills here, no ore has been marketed from this place since last fall; consequently it remains on hand, and not a dollar has been realized on it. The nearest mills are at Lake City, 125 miles by road, but only about 30 miles by trail, over the snowy divide, 12,000 feet above ocean level. This place is about 7,000 feet altitude, and Lake City about 9,000 feet. The weather is cool and clear most of the time, something like September and October weather in Massachusetts, though colder nights, and some days, at noon, the thermometer ranges as high as 80°. During the last two weeks I have seen ice as thick as window glass, many mornings, after sunrise. But such a difference, or such changes, I don't imagine are conducive to health. The air is too light, dry, and cool to suit me; I think I should rather see a northeast fog or storm occasionally, from the ocean, or some other changes than from extreme heat at noon to freezing cold at night. But with such an immense body of snow on the mountains, it can't be otherwise than cold after the sun sets, and with the wind always blowing from the mountains to the valleys.

The benefits of the climate of Colorado, for the consumptive and asthmatic, have been published far and wide, but I have not as yet seen any benefit derived from it, in a single case, while on the contrary many cases that I have known, within the last three months, have proved fatal, and many more that I have become acquainted with have been sent home by advice of physicians, who informed them that if they remained here they would never live to reach home. At the late session of the American Medical Association in Chicago, the question was warmly debated in regard to the influence of Colorado climate on consumption, some physicians contending that patients who returned from Colorado were worse off than if they had never gone, while other physicians asserted that the conditions which, in some few cases restored consumptives who went there in its early stages, were not climatic, but might be obtained at home. I have seen people from many States of the Union from the East, West and South, who came here for their health, and I have not yet seen any who were satisfied that they were benefited. The daily reports of the papers show more deaths from consumption, pneumonia, hemorrhage and other lung as well as heart diseases, than all other causes combined. The climate, in my opinion, is too cold, and the altitude too high for any except strong, healthy and robust persons, and I would not advise any of my friends who may be suffering from lung or heart diseases, to try this climate. Repeated warnings in my own case make it necessary for me, in order to enjoy any degree of health and prolong life, to seek a lower altitude and more congenial climate.

Mineral City, about eight miles from here, is a small mining camp, situated almost upon the summit of the range, about 12,000 feet above the sea, at a point where the Uncompahgre flows northwest, the Gunnison northeast, and the Animas southwest. It is near the centre of the great mineral district, and the vicinity is perfectly gridironed with a net work of veins. Of these the Mammoth is considered the "mother vein." It is from fifty to three hundred feet wide, and in many places the outcropping stands like a great wall upon the surface of the ground. It is traceable for seven miles at least, and there are eighteen mine locations, of fifteen hundred feet each, upon it, under different names. Recent tests from some of these claims give from $1,000 to $2,000 to a ton of ore. I might mention the assays of many of the leads that have been tested, which have proved very rich, but time will not permit, and I fear Mr. Editor, I am making these few lines *too many already*. At present, developement is limited and must be slow until the mines are opened and in condition for work, regardless of season and weather. The great want here as well as at Ouray and other places on this side of the mountains, is reduction works and smelting works. Then the ore can be reduced, the mines can be developed, and thousands of miners (that now have nothing to do) find work. As it is now, what ore is taken from the mines has to be packed on mule trains, to places the other side of the mountains, where there are mills, and what is taken out in winter has to be kept till the next summer.

About three miles farther south we come to the forks of the Animas, where there is another mine camp, like Mineral City, with a town organization, post office, &c. Like Mineral City, it is very elevated, at timber line, and in the region of perpetual frost. The direction of the Animas corresponds with that of the mineral belt, the great gold and silver leads of that region. Instead of a narrow mining district, crossing the stream, a thousand leads are parallel to its course, and cut by all its many branches. Three miles below Animas Forks is Eureka; four miles further down is Howardsville, and five miles below that is Silverton, the county seat of La Plata County. The last named place is near the head of the Animas valley, and has one of the most beautiful situations of any mining town in Colorado. It is surrounded by mines and mineral veins, and considered by many as the most promising mining centre in the San Juan country.

From what I have seen and heard of the mines and veins of ore coursing along and over and through these gigantic mountains, I have come to the conclusion that there must be an incalculable and immense amount of mineral deposits imbedded, which cannot and will not be excavated for centuries. Millions of tons of ore seem as it were in sight, ready to be broken from the ledges and crevices, and transformed into the purer and finer metal, by the white heat of the smelting furnace. The Uncompahgre district alone, without any exaggeration, contains enough precious metal to pay off the national debt. Galena Mountain, King Solomon Mountain, Little Giant Mountain, and many others that might be named, seem to be ribbed with veins of galena, brittle-silver, iron-pyrites, zinc-blende, fluor-spar and copper stained minerals. The returns from the mines in this section will prove to the scientific world the mineral wealth of the San Juan country. All through this country the craggy peaks, the deep canons, the steep precipices, the old craters, and the fearful abysses thousands of feet deep, pinnacles of rock, hundreds of feet high, show unmistakable evidence of the terrible convulsions of nature which this part of the country has been subjected to, during the remote ages of this world's history.

P.

TOWN AND VICINITY.

Ovariotomy.

The friends of Mrs. E. F. Lee, of South Weymouth, who underwent a hazardous surgical operation for the removal of an ovarian tumor, three weeks ago, will be gratified to learn that she is doing well, and that the prospects of her complete recovery are very encouraging. The tumor had been growing two years, and when first discovered was as small as a pullet's egg, but developed very rapidly, especially during the last six months, its weight at the time of the operation being 12 lbs.

The case occurred in the practice of Dr. C. C. Tower, who first saw it about two months ago. He advised its early removal, and engaged the services of Dr. Gilman Kimball, of Lowell, to perform the operation, he being an expert in this department of surgery. The operation was performed on the 21st ult., Drs. Forsaith and Tinkham, of Weymouth, and Dr. Gleason, of Rockland, being present by invitation, who rendered valuable assistance. The tumor was successfully removed, the patient rallying well from the operation, and although she necessarily suffered much from the restraints incident to a confined position, fortunately escaped any dangerous complications such as are liable to arise in such cases.

This successful result is largely due to the faithful attentions of her nurse, Mrs. Campbell, of Methuen, who has had a large experience in the care of Dr. Kimball's cases, and who was highly recommended by him. For a period of two weeks she was a constant attendant upon the patient, both night and day, and was rewarded for her care by witnessing the steady improvement of the patient, who by this operation was rescued from an inevitably fatal malady.

Loans.

Those of our readers who are seeking for safe and remunerative investments of money, are invited to call on Messrs. Lewis Bros.' whose card will be found in today's GAZETTE. Our personal acquaintance with Frank Lewis, Esq. of the above firm, enables us to confidently recommend this house as one of assured reliability in business transactions, and their judgment in value of investments and varied means of information as to their reliability, enables them to furnish advantages to investors which cannot be surpassed by other houses.

Knights of Honor.

An excursion of the Knights of Honor, on the Steamer Stamford, occurs next Friday, July 20, the occasion being the second anniversary of Boston Lodge, No. 134, the oldest Lodge in Massachusetts, and the second anniversary of the introduction of the order into this State. The excursion will be under the supervision of the following committee from that body:—H. P. Coates, O. B. Farnum, C. H. McKenney, C. B. Newton, F. H. Butler, E. P. Talbot; S. B. Hathaway, Sect'y, W. H. Hobart, Treasurer. The boat leaves Lewis wharf, Boston, at 9 A. M., for a sail down the harbor as far as Minot's Ledge, stopping at Fort Warren on the way, and returning to Lovell's Grove, North Weymouth, where various games will be played and dinner will be served. Tickets for the round trip, including dinner, $1.50. Music by Brown's Brigade Band.

Invalids.

Who contemplate a change of climate in search of health will find some important suggestions in the interesting Colorado letter from Gen. B. F. Pratt, in today's GAZETTE. The glowing narratives in the publications of different railroad enterprises concerning the recuperative effects of the climate in that State, according to the experience of Gen. Pratt must be read with a considerable degree of allowance for the self-interest which depicts so highly colored views of the restorative wonders of the far west, and his experience is certainly valuable to those who are desirous of gaining information on this point.

Trinity Church.

Owing to sickness on Sunday last, the Rev. Mr. Karcher, officiating in Trinity Church, did not attend. The Rev. Dr. Schereschewsky, bishop-elect for Shanghae, China, who is temporarily residing in East Braintree, very kindly took the morning service. The Dr. gave a very interesting account of the condition of Christian Misssions in China, as well as of philosophical or religious opinion among the four hundred millions of the population of that great empire. The philosophy of Confucius is the state religion of China, but Buddhism is the popular and most prevailing idolatry. The two systems are, however, held in a greater or less degree of union. The higher intellectual classes are generally Confucians. To this influential portion of a vast race, it may be interesting to know, though Dr. S. did not himself refer to it, he has recently introduced the sacred oracles of God, by his admirable translation of the Scriptures into the Mandarin dialect, that of the scholars and govermental personages of the empire.—And Dr. Schereschewsky's mission to the church at home, and until his return to Shanghae in the fall, after his consecration as bishop, is to commend the founding of a missionary college, an institution so evidently needed to advance the work of evangelization, in the present state of the public mind in regard to it in China. To give visibility to the Christian Church in China, over and above that afforded by the presence of a handful of missionaries, as well as to have the resources and instrumentalities of an endowed seat of learning among a vast people, who value intellectual preeminence above rank or wealth, seems to be a pressing necessity at this time.

Sporting Intelligence.

An enormous rat, described as about the size of a full grown kitten, was shot last Tuesday by Mr. William G. Thayer, in the rear of his new stable on Washington street. The rodent was evidently a family patriarch, and though not cotemporary with *Noah*, he must have been a fearful *gnawer*.

Base Ball.

The Tildens of Weymouth, defeated the King Phillips of Rockland, last Saturday, on the Rockland B. B. Grounds, by a score of 13 to 12. Fennell's play behind the bat was exceedingly fine. A running one hand catch by Shaw was well done, and the work of Master Murphy at Short Stop, could not be excelled by any professional. In fact, all the players did remarkably well. The base running of Bates and Shaw was noticeable.

TILDENS.—*Score.*

	R.	O.
Moriarty, C. F.,	2	3
Shaw, 3d B.,	3	3
Fennell, C.,	2	2
Mulligan, 1st B.,	0	4
Murphy, S. S.,	0	4
Riley, L. F.,	1	4
Renn, R. F.,	1	3
Bates, P.,	2	2
Gloster, 2d B.,	2	2
Total.	13	27

KING PHILLIPS.—*Score.*

	R.	O.
J. Maddigan, C.,	1	3
Thompson, P.,	1	3
Wheeler, C. F.,	2	3
R. Maddigan, 1st B.,	1	4
Torrey, 3d B.,	1	3
Studley, S. S.,	2	3
H. Loud, L. F.,	3	1
Estes, 2d B.,	0	5
Jenkins, R. F.,	1	3
Total.	12	27

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
King Philips,	0	0	5	0	2	1	2	0	2	—12
Tildens,	0	0	4	0	0	5	4	0	0	—13

Errors:—Tildens 9. King Phillips 12.
First Base Hits:—Tildens 12. King Phillips 14.

The Tildens play in East Weymouth next Saturday, with the Rangers of that place.

G. B. BATES,
Sec'y of Tilden B. B. C.

WEYMOUTH, July 10th, 1877.

Editor of Weymouth Gazette:—Dear Sir, In your notice of the display of fireworks at my residence on the evening of the Fourth, a slight error occurred which I wish you would be kind enough to correct, that the credit may be given where it is due. The fireworks were from the Ætna Laboratory, Reading, Mass., Hyde & Co., of Boston, proprietors. Mr. Chas. B. Linton conducts the manufactory.

A. A. LINTON.

Excursion.

The Universalist Sabbath School of Weymouth Landing made an excursion to Downer Landing, yesterday, the party being conveyed in the pleasure wagons of Messrs. Baker & Son and E. Bourke. The excursionists filled four teams, and passed a most enjoyable day, the weather being of the finest character.

The number of visitors at the grounds that day is estimated at about 1500, the Baptist and Methodist societies of Somerville and the Universalist society of Quincy also excurting to the same place.

Mr. Ed. Porter and wife and Miss Annie Lane, were out in a row-boat at the time the party left for home, and the tide being on the ebb the boat grounded on the flats, compelling them to remain there until the returning flood released them from their predicament.

In for a good time, and out for a Serenade.

Mr. Frank Slack and sister were awakened from their slumbers the night before the 4th by a party of ladies and gentlemen known as the "Highland Quartette Club," who gave them a very pleasant serenade. Although they had retired they quickly dressed and invited their young friends in, when a very pleasant hour or two was spent in singing, and the "wee small hours" were fast approaching when the visitors took their departure, the 4th dawning upon a very sleepy party.

"ROMP."

Yachting.

Capt. J. Binney left the river last night, in his fine yacht "Secret," to take part in the regatta at Duxbury to-day.

We learn that Mr. Sankey, who examined the Secret with a view to purchase, found the yacht to be too large for his purpose.

Relief.

Among the subscribers to the fund for the relief of the sufferers by the Marblehead fire was the firm of Fogg, Houghton & Coolidge, of Boston, who in addition to a previous liberal donation gave a further sum of $50.

High School Admissions.

At the session of the School Committee for the examination of candidates for admission to the South and North High Schools of Weymouth, the following numbers passed a successsful examination.

1—2—4—6—7—10—11—13—22—23—26—29—30—31—32—40—41—42—43—46—47—49—52—54—61—74—76—80—81—83—84—85—97.

Admissions to North High School 17.
" " South " " 16.

The names of the successful candidates are as follows:

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

From the Torrey St. School, L. A. Cook, teacher.—Dan Porter Barrows, Robert Healy, John Welch, Dana Morse, W. C. Long, Sady Tirrell, Emma Holbrook, Alice Littlefield.

Pratt School, Geo. C. Torrey, teacher.—Maggie McCormick, Nellie Prouty, Charles Dyer, Sarah Brassill.

Main St. School, Miss Louise Vining, teacher.—Nellie Martin, Mary Grundstrom, W. E. Holbrook, C. A. Loud.

EAST WEYMOUTH.

Commercial St. School, Lucius Brown, teacher.—Louisa Humphrey, Hattie Tucker, Mary A. Bates, Jesse H. Rogers, Abbie P. Pratt, Angie P. Cain, Charles M. Matherson.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

Athens St. School, Edward N. Dyer, teacher.—Hattie W. Dyer, Annie A. Burgess, Georgie M. Shaw, Jacob Denbroder, George Lovell.

WEYMOUTH LANDING.

Mount Pleasant School,—J. W. Armington, teacher.—Cora Richards, Lola Loud, David Burns, Annie Richards, Maud Knights.

K. of P.

Washington Hall, the lodge-room of Delphi Lodge Knights of Pythias, has been elegantly decorated by bro. H. F. Cushing, of North Weymouth, the walls having been painted in a delicate tint, and bordered with fresco designs, with a neat moulding in the colors of the order, running around the edge of the ceiling.—The windows have been draped with new curtains from the establishment of Learnard, Hartley & Co., of Boston, a number of them being emblazoned with the initials "K. P.," in gilt. These improvements make the hall one of the neatest lodge-rooms in town, and were the subject of very flattering approval from the Deputy for this district, bro. A. T. Merrill, of Boston, who visited Delphi Lodge last evening, for the purpose of installing the officers elect for the ensuing term.

The officers of the Lodge were duly installed as follows:

Chancellor Commander—J. K. Davidson.
Vice Chancellor—Geo. Perry Niles.
Prelate—L. D. North.
Master of Finance—A. H. Smith.
Master of Exchequer—N. O. Smith.
Keeper of Records and Seals—Darius Smith.
Master-at-Arms—L. J. Pratt.
Inside Guard—Edgar F. Cooper.
Outside Guard—G. A. Hunt.

At the close of the ceremonies the brethren repaired to the banquet room, where a collation was served.

Foreign Missions.

Rev. Mr. Christy, who is to leave for Turkey next September, preached at the Union Church last Sunday, and addressed the Sunday School at its session. In his sermon, in the evening, he said that foreign missions meant all kinds of missions. A man who is kind and helping to his neighbor is a missionary, as much as one who goes to a foreign country.

The Turks, he said, are not addicted to intemperance, that is, those of the lower class. The higher classes of Turks do drink, but the plebeians abstain from the uses of liquor and are strong and of a very enduring constitution. An aged Turk has been known to take a sack, weighing five hundred pounds, on his shoulders, and carry it up a long and steep grade, without evincing any signs of fatigue. When a Turk is found drunk, the Mohammedans say, "O! he has turned christian," and pass on their way. Woman, he said, owes all that she is, to the influence of Christianity. One may go into the country of any false religion, and he will see *her* the slave, and her husband, the lord of all he surveys. So soon as the influence of the Bible is at work, woman's superior merits are seen and appreciated, and everything appears different. A Turkish gentleman, in high authority, recently stated, in public, that the foreign missionaries, in that country, have more to do towards closing the war, than had all the diplomats of the interested nations put together. American missionaries are far more successful in their labors, than are those from England. The English possessions in those regions have a tendency to make the Turks shy, while, as America has no lands there, her teachers are well received. The Red Cross of Servia is still seen in many places through Turkey. One of the most noted of these crosses is at Samandria. On the eastern side of a lofty tower a Servian king, about the last of his line, caused a large cross to be made of brick, and so constructed as to necessitate the entire removal of the tower, to destroy it. Thousands of times the Turkish artillery have battered it with shot and shell, but there it still stands, frowning down upon Turk, and greeting Servian, and a conspicuous landmark, as it has been for four centuries.

Sunday Evening Meetings.

It is now about two months since the new order of services were adopted by the Union Church. The morning services are more fully attended than before the change while the room is filled in the evening. The preaching is by the pastor, Mr. Frary, and the singing is under the charge of Mr. J. J. Loud. The pastor has certainly gained the good will of the young people as they come from all parts of this and the neighboring villages.

Jottings.

The cranberry crop promises well.—Apples will be scarce and pears plenty.—Whortleberries are quite plenty, but there is one picker to every bush. Tinkers have appeared in large schools in the river, and the bridges are the scene of many fine catches.

BOZ.

EAST WEYMOUTH.

Pleasure Trip.

The lady operatives at Canterbury & Haskell's factory made a pleasure trip to "Aunt Nabby's Grove," at Hockley, last Friday, where they concocted a splendid clam chowder for their own special benefit. Mr. Emerson French gallantly officiating as clam-digger for the occasion. The only drawback to the enjoyment of the occasion, says an envious bachelor, was the absence of the young men who would have been delighted to be present.

Rowing Matches

Rowing matches will take place next Saturday afternoon, from 4 to 7 o'clock, the course being from Willow Grove to the foot of Whitman's Pond, the first to be rowed by L. Chubbuck, of Hingham, who will pull against time. The second will be between Wm. Townsend and Herbert Tirrell, and the third between Jerry Quinn and David Grinnell. A large attendance is anticipated.

Summer Complaints

Are speedily alleviated by the use of a fine preparation manufactured by our favorite pharmacist, Dr. Townsend, and his cordial will no doubt have an extensive sale.

Removed.

The sailboat "Willie" was removed from Whitman's Pond to Back River, last Saturday afternoon, and the owner, Charles D. Lowrey, in company with Thomas Kelley and Samuel Jones, went down the river that night, and had not returned at last accounts.

Sunday Service.

Rev. Luther Farnham will preach next Sunday at Lovell's Corner. He has been supplying the pulpit at the hall for a few Sundays, but no arrangement has yet been made for a permanent pastorate.

Contribution.

The Sunday School connected with the Cong'l Society of East Weymouth contributed $20 for the relief of the sufferers by the St. John fire, and last Sabbath a letter was read acknowledging the receipt of the money.

Sold.

The Half-Way House, at West Scituate, which was sold at auction last Saturday, was bought by Messrs. Andrew J. Randall, of East Weymouth, and Samuel H. Litchfield, of Hingham. It was stated some weeks ago that Mr. Randall had bought it at a previous sale, which was incorrect.

Sale.

Mr. Nathan H. Pratt has sold his yacht "Grace" to W. J. Earle.

Resigned.

At the engine meeting held last Wednesday evening, Mr. James W. Shaw tendered his resignation on account of his leaving the place. Mr. N. Peare was chosen to fill his place.

We learn that Mr. Shaw is to run an engine for a boot and shoe firm at Worcester, Mass.

Another meeting of the Co. will be held next Tuesday evening.

Visit.

At a special meeting of the Woman's C. T. Union, held on Tuesday afternoon, an invitation to visit the Union at North Weymouth on Wednesday evening, July 18, was received and accepted. The regular meeting of the Union will be held in their room, Tuesday afternoon, July 17, to make arrangements for the same.

OLIM.

Base Ball.

A very interesting game of base ball was played in South Braintree last Friday afternoon, between a picked nine of Weymouth and Braintree and the Rangers of East Weymouth. The game was well played throughout, especially to the 7th inning, when the score stood 3 and 2 in favor of the Rangers. On the following day another game was played on Lake St. grounds, between a picked nine of East and North Weymouth. The scores of both will be seen below.

BRAINTREES.—*Score.*

	O.	R.
J. Donahoe,	3	1
Fillings,	3	1
Condrick,	2	1
J. Gallivan,	3	0
Pearce,	5	0
P. Donahoe,	3	0
Murphy,	3	0
Sullivan,	2	0
Jerry Gallivan,	3	0
Total.	27	3

RANGERS,—*Score.*

	O.	R.
Hogan,	4	1
Lonegan,	5	0
Connell,	3	0
McIntosh,	3	1
Duffee,	5	0
McCarty,	2	2
Cullen,	1	1
Donahoe,	2	2
Carroll,	2	2
Total,	27	9

Umpire, John Nash.—Scorer, D. McCarty.—Time of game, 1 hour, 15 minutes.

PICKED NINE.—*Score.*

	O.	R.
Arnold, C.,	3	3
Nash, P.,	2	4
Cowing, S. S.,	3	0
Dizer, 1st B.,	2	0
Pratt, 2d B.,	4	1
F. Fay, 3d B.,	3	1
C. Joy, L. F.,	4	0
H. Cook, C. F.,	4	1
Humphrey, R. F.,	2	3
Total.	27	13

RANGERS.—*Score.*

	O.	R.
Hogan, 1st B.,	2	3
Lonegan, L. F.,	1	3
Connell, S. S.,	3	2
McIntosh R. F.,	4	1
Duffee, C.,	3	2
McCarty, 2d B.,	3	2
Cullen, P.,	3	2
Donahoe, C. F.,	4	0
Carroll, 2d B.,	4	0
Total.	27	15

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Picked Nine.	2	1	6	0	1	0	3	0	0	—13
Rangers.	3	0	6	1	1	1	0	1	2	—15

Umpire, P. Sheehan. Scorers, Willie Pratt, D. McCarty. Time of game, 1 hour, 55 minutes.

As there was some dissatisfaction with a few decisions of the umpire, the Rangers feel compelled to say that the umpiring was, as a general thing, correct. Only one or two decisions were wrong, and these were so close that he could scarcely tell whether the man was out or not. We are willing to meet them again at any time, for fun or money.

A RANGER.

New Building.

Mr. William Harrington is about to erect a new dwelling house on Pleasant St., near the residence of Mr. John Fraher.

Fire.

About 4 o'clock Sunday morning the people of our quiet village were aroused from their slumbers by the alarm of fire, and immediately repaired to the scene of conflagration, which proved to be an old dwelling house, situated on Lake St., and owned by Mr. James Cook. The building is so situated as to accommodate four families, but fortunately only two families were living there when the fire broke out. Those who were first on the scene rendered the inmates every assistance possible in removing their furniture, and nearly every article of value was saved. We learn that the building was insured for $800. It is thought by many that the building was fired.

Entertainment.

We understand that there is to be a private entertainment given by the East Weymouth Catholic Temperance Society in their hall soon, to which the St. John's society of Quincy have been invited.

Lo, the poor Indian.

The Indians took up their abode last Friday near the old Cemetery, but were compelled to leave there, by the rowdyism of some of the boys of the neighborhood, and finally settled with their colored brethren at Zion Hill.

New Yacht.

Mr. Reed, of this village, has completed the building of his boat, and launched her in the salt water last week.

Business.

Shoe business in this part of the town is beginning to revive, but the Iron Works are quiet at present.

Decease.

A little son of Mr. Charles Cowing died last Monday, of typhoid fever, after a short illness.

Still Another.

The Tilden's and the Ranger's play a match game of ball on Lake St., tomorrow afternoon.

ROVER.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

Appointment.

Dr. C. C. Tower has been appointed Medical Examiner for the Fourth Norfolk District, which includes the towns of Weymouth, Braintree and Holbrook.

Accidents.

Last Tuesday evening a horse belonging to Mr. Noah B. Thayer, by some means lifted the scuttle in the stabble floor, and his legs passed through the aperture. His condition was fortunately discovered in season for a speedy rescue, several men aided in lifting him to his feet, and the animal sustained no serious injury.

A son of Mr. George Dunnington was run over by a team last Tuesday, but escaped with slight injury. The boy was but two years old, and was playing in the highway at the time of the accident. The driver of the vehicle did not see the child until it was too late to rein up.

Mr. E. Chamberlain's horse was startled by a pile of drain pipe at the side of the street last Tuesday, some injury to the carriage ensuing.

Concerts.

The Weymouth Band will commence their annual course of free open-air concerts in the different villages of the town next week, the first of which will be given in Columbian Square, South Weymouth, next Monday evening.

Engine Co. Meeting.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the Conqueror Engine Co. next Tuesday evening, at which a full attendance is desired.

An Auction Sale

Of carriages and wagons at the factory of J. Harding was announced for last Tuesday, but owing to the stormy weather only a small number of buyers were present.

S. S. Concert.

The subject for the next concert at the Second Cong'l Church is "Creeds of the Bible."

Business.

The boot and shoe business is beginning to start up in this part of the town.

A Sabbath School Concert

Was held at the Second Cong'l Church on Sunday evening, the subject being the different names which the Saviour bears in the Bible. There was also some excellent singing by members of the choir.

Excurting.

The Cong'l and Universalist Societies of this place propose to make an excursion some time next week, either to Downer Landing or Nantasket Beach.

Deceased.

Mr. Elias Hunt died at his residence on Monday last. Although he had been in feeble health for some years, he had been seriously ill but about a week before his death.

A Surprise Party

Was given to Miss A. R. Rogers, the assistant teacher of the South High School, Wednesday evening, by the pupils of her two highest classes. It was a perfect surprise to Miss Rogers. Ice creams and other refreshments were furnished in abundance, and a very pleasant evening was spent by the party.

HERMIT.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

Reunion.

The members and past members of the Adams Grammar School, North Weymouth to the number of 140, held their annual reunion, by invitation of their teacher, Miss Eliza French, on Wednesday last, at the residence of the late Mr. Thomas French, on Essex street, East Weymouth. Miss French has been the teacher of the school for several years, and has won the regard and esteem of all who have been so fortunate as to be numbered among her pupils, and of course the occasion was one of unalloyed pleasure. The grounds were decorated with flags, and swings were erected for the enjoyment of the younger portion of the guests, while the elders indulged in croquet, base ball and other games. About 6 P. M. supper was announced, and the guests were furnished with an elegant repast, after which the evening was improved with an entertainment of vocal and instrumental music, the popular and talented pianist, Mr. Howard M. Dow, favoring the company with some of his choicest selections. The occasion was an event of great interest and pleasure to all present.

Unsuccessful.

Three "fishers of men" resident in North and East Weymouth made an excursion to the Nantasket shore last Monday, in quest of "tinkers," but not a tinker was enticed to their hooks. The nice sail in the bay, however, consoled them for the disappointment.

Theft.

One evening last week some unknown rascal entered the house of Mr. Albert Osgood and abstracted a $20 bill from a drawer, but it is supposed that the thief was alarmed by the sound of footsteps and dropping the money upon the floor, decamped without further seeking, as the bill was found in the room by Mr. Osgood the next morning, neatly rolled up.

Commenced.

The straightening of the road from the foot of King Oak Hill to the Depot has already commenced, the work being taken by a resident of Braintree. This is a great improvement in the locality.

Accident.

While Mr. John Moran, who is in the employ of Mr. William Bicknell, was preparing to draw a load of hay to the barn, the horse unexpectedly started, and one of the shafts coming in contact with Moran's side, broke a rib and severely injured the others. Assistance was immediately rendered and he is now recovering as rapidly as could be expected.

Coming.

Messrs. Bicknell & White, carpenters, are awaiting the arrival of a schooner with a cargo of 50,000 feet of lumber, when they will commence the erection of a two story house for Mr. Frank D. Thayer, of East Weymouth.

Concert.

Mr. Stephen Bicknell, our popular vocalist and composer, gave a very gratifying concert at Hanover, a large audience being present. We congratulate our friend on his success.

Recovering.

Mr. John Holbrook, who sustained so serious an injury one day last week by the running of his horse, went out for the first time yesterday, and is rapidly recovering.

Picnics.

On Tuesday, the Reform Club from Charlestown visited Lovell's Grove, and on Wednesday the Catholic Society from Roxbury, and Thursday the St. Vincent Catholic Society, from Jamaica Plain.—Each of these three parties numbered about 300. One very noticeable feature of these premises is the Francois Troupe, who have proved to be the most renowned gymnasts in the world. Their remarkable activity and the readiness with which they perform their feats has made them very popular, and since they have been present, renewed activity is manifest at the Grove, and the place is rapidly becoming a most popular one for picnics.

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3 lb. Cans Pumpkin, 3 lb. Cans Squash, 2 lb. Cans Blueberries, 3 lb. Cans Fresh Apples	13 cts. per Can, or 2 Cans 25 cents.
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3 lb. Cans Pears, 33 cts. per can.	
3 lb. Cans Baked Beans, 21 cts. per Can.	
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I. O. O. F.

At a late meeting of Standish Lodge, I. O. O. F. the following officers were chosen for the present term of office:—N. G., Edwin W. Whiting; V. G., L. W. Easton; W. S. George H. Hunt.

Dogs.

Out of one hundred and seventy-two dogs owned in this town about fifty remain without a license. Officer Warren has been authorized to exterminate all dogs not properly registered, and the orders will be strictly carried out.

Resignation.

Mrs. Mary W. Gurney has resigned her position as teacher of the Grammar School, which she has occupied for several years, preparatory to returning West. At the close of school on the 6th inst., she received as a parting gift from her pupils, a gold-tipped pencil case.

Fourth of July.

The Fourth passed as quietly as usual, the only excitement being in the early part of the day, when quite a number took the opportunity to see the parade of Antiques and Horribles at Abington. Rockland contributed largely to the number of spectators though but sparingly to the procession. Aside from this very little transpired to enliven the village, except the ringing of bells and the occasional blowing of horns, the thrilling sound of which, to the ears of Young America, seems so adequately to express their deep feelings of patriotism.

Fire Alarm.

The contract for the building of a tower on the engine house for the reception of the new alarm has been awarded to Samuel N. Turner, of Hanover, and the work of construction will shortly be carried out. This is an improvement which the fire department has long sought after and will add greatly to the convenience as well as efficacy of the department.

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Administrator's Sale.

WILL be sold by order of the Probate Court, at Public Auction, on the premises, on SATURDAY, 28th inst., at one o'clock P. M., all the Real Estate of SIMEON SMITH, late of Weymouth, deceased, to pay the just debts of said Smith, with incidental charges.

Said Real Estate consists of about one-fourth of an acre of Land, with a Dwelling-House and Barn standing thereon, situated on an Avenue leading out of Pond Street, near the residence of Edwin Northey, of Weymouth, and near the South Weymouth Depot.

ADSON H. BELCHER, Adm'r.

Weymouth, July 10, 1877. 11 13

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Union National Bank of Weymouth,

AT WEYMOUTH, IN THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS,

At close of Business June 22, 1877.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts,	$446,579 99
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation,	300,000 00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents,	16,056 29
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures,	5,100 00
Current Expenses and Taxes paid,	1,416 45
Checks & other Cash Items,	2,505 16
Bills of other Banks,	1,520 00
Fractional Currency, (including Nickels,)	42 51
Specie,	186 35
Legal Tender Notes,	4,721 00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer, Five per cent. of circulation,	13,500 00
Total,	$792,040 66

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in,	400,000 00
Surplus Fund,	65,500 00
Undivided Profits,	10,920 77
National Bank Notes outstanding,	264,670 00
Dividends unpaid,	1,167 50
Individual Deposits, subject to check,	44,918 79
Cashier's Checks outstanding,	1,863 60
Total,	$792,040 66

State of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, } S. S.

I, JOHN J. LOUD, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN J. LOUD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this seventh day of July, 1877.

ELIAS RICHARDS, Justice of the Peace.

Correct—Attest:

ALBERT HUMPHREY,
AMOS S. WHITE, } Directors.
E. P. WORSTER,

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank of So. Weymouth,

AT S. WEYMOUTH, IN THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS,

At close of Business June 22, 1877.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts,	$211,253 27
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation,	100,000 00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages,	18,342 83
Due from Approved Reserve Agents,	19,888 05
Real Estate, Furniture and fixtures,	5,000 00
Current Expenses and Taxes Paid,	371 54
Checks and other cash items,	697 23
Bills of other Banks,	2,509 00
Fractional Currency (including Nickels),	3 27
Specie, (silver coin.)	102 35
Legal Tender Notes,	4,200 00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per ct. of circulation,	4,500 00
Total,	$367,041 48

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in,	$150,000 00
Surplus Fund,	30,000 00
Undivided Profits,	21,445 91
National Bank Notes outstanding,	87,000 00
Dividends unpaid,	592 00
Individual Deposits, subject to check,	78,003 57
Total,	$367,041 48

State of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, } S. S.

I, B. F. WHITE, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

B. F. WHITE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this sixth day of July, 1877.

JOSEPH DYER, Justice of the Peace.

Correct—Attest.

J. S. FOGG,
C. C. BLANCHARD, } Directors.
ALFRED TIRRELL,

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK ss. Probate Court.

TO the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of CHARLOTTE W. [illegible], late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased, Greeting:

Whereas BRADFORD HAWES, [illegible]

[illegible]

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this [illegible] day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

9 11 J. H. COBB, Register.

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...LOUD, Cashier of the above named Bank, ...y swear that the above statement is true, ...of my knowledge and belief.
JOHN J. LOUD, Cashier.
...bed and sworn to before me, this seventh ... 1877.
...AS RICHARDS, Justice of the Peace.
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BRAINTREE DEPARTMENT.

Reunion.

On Tuesday evening last the Good Templars in this vicinity held a social reunion with Unity Lodge, South Braintree, upon invitation of that Lodge. Ten lodges were represented. The G. W. C. T., Rev. Richard Eddy, and the G. W. S., Miss Sarah A. Leonard, were present, and by their sound advice and cheering earnest words, added much to the interest of the occasion. The entertainment consisted of remarks, readings, declamations and songs, as follows:

Remarks by G. W. C. T. Eddy, of Gloucester. Duett by Sisters Crocker and Renn, of Union Lodge. Reading by Sister Jenkins, of Unity.

Remarks by the G. W. S., Miss Leonard. Song by Sister David of Unity. Remarks by Bro. Penniman, of Reynolds Lodge. Duett by Sisters Anna and Marcella Southwer, of Reynolds. Declamation, by Sister Mason, of Faith Lodge. Remarks by Bros. Kelley of Reynolds, and Harris of Waverly.

A collation was then served, after which the time was devoted to social enjoyment. An earnest, determined spirit in the good work of trying to ameliorate the condition of their fellow men in the direction of temperance, and a strong confidence in the final triumph of right and truth over injustice and wrong, pervaded the meeting.

A.

The Parsonage Association

Met with Mrs. George O. Wales last Monday evening. There were readings by Asa P. French and Mrs. Frank Shaw, piano music by Miss Emma French, singing by the company and general social intercourse.

First Church Matters.

Rev. Thomas Emerson's pulpit was filled by Rev. Mr. Labaree, last Sabbath. He preached a most excellent sermon from the text, "For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Christ Jesus." The Sabbath School voted to leave the matter of time and place for their annual picnic to a committee, expressing however, in an informal ballot, a preference for Downer Landing. This society have no service during the hot months, in the afternoon. At the Sabbath School concert in the evening there was good singing, readings by Miss Eliza Weeks and Charlie Lane, an exercise entitled "The Awakened Sinner," and remarks from Messrs. Amos W. Stetson, W. F. Locke and Rev. Thomas Emerson. Mr. Josephus Shaw, who has a summer residence at Quincy Neck, invited his class to spend the day with his family there, Tuesday. It was a very pleasant occasion to all.

Schools.

There are two private schools, one at the South and one at the North village, looking forward to the examination for the Thayer Academy, on the 16th of Sept. next, doubtless, and we wish the girls and boys success.

L. P. H.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union

Met in Armory Hall Friday afternoon, July 6, Mrs. A. B. Keith in the chair. The meeting was opened with singing, prayer by Mrs. Penniman, reading selections of Scripture and prayer by the president.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, we as members of the W. C. T. U. of Braintree, believe that the use of alcoholic liquors, except for medicinal and mechanical purposes, is sinful, and whereas women are the chief sufferers from its use, therefore

Resolved, That we as a Union *fully endorse* the action taken by our sisters, in presenting their protest against the use of liquors at the recent banquet given by the city of Boston, to the President of the United States.

Resolved, That we do not believe that the decision of Mayor Prince on the side of *rum drinking*, is the sentiment of the upright, moral or religious people of our state.

Resolved, That we feel it to be the duty of all who are striving to banish the curse of intemperance, to condemn the use of intoxicating drinks of *any sort* by *all classes*.

Resolved, That our thanks are due to President and Mrs. Hayes for the noble stand they have taken in the Temperance cause.

Resolved, That we will continue to defend the right, whatever success or rebuffs we may encounter from those whose efforts tend to degrade rather than elevate humanity.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Secretary of the State Union, to Mayor Prince, and the WEYMOUTH GAZETTE.

Other business was discussed, among other things a children's meeting was talked of, but no definite action was taken. The next meeting will be held in the same place, Friday afternoon, July 20.

EAST BRAINTREE.

Death.

The obituary of last week's *Gazette* announced the death of Mr. Allen Edson, of this village, on the 4th inst. aged 86. Mr. Edson having been so long a resident, and occupying the social position which he did amongst us for so many years, in justice to him, and to those to whom his presence was so familiar, a more extended notice is due. Mr. Edson was born at South Bridgewater on the 16th of February, 1791. His father was Benjamin Edson, and his mother was Deborah Perkins. Allen was one of a family of five children, four boys and one girl, one of his brothers being the Rev. Dr. Theodore Edson, of Lowell, Mass, now 84 years of age, but smart and full of energy; a man, moreover, who has been of considerable consequence in promoting the charitable and social enterprises of the Episcopal church in that important city. Mr. Edson was married on the 14th of March, 1845, to Miss Mary Perkins, of Bridgewater, the daughter of Ebenezer Perkins, and Mary Park. The issue of this marriage was ten children, seven of whom are still living. There are, besides, nineteen grand-children and one great-grand-child.

About 54 years ago Mr. Edson moved into this village from Bridgewater. He was a cabinet maker by trade, and a most efficient and capable workman. He was employed by the Braintree Cotton Manufacturing Co., now the Boston Flax Mills, and whilst so employed he effected very valuable improvements of the machinery, particularly in the construction of cotton gins. Mr. Edson was naturally a mechanic, and was very positive in all his opinions, whether social, political or religious. His religious views were those of the Universalists, whose particular doctrine he was always ready to defend against any argument or any foe, and with all the fervor and intelligence he possessed. The writer has had many a "hard fought field" with him, but never succeeded but once in having the last word.

Mr. Edson had been failing for about nine years, from a weakness of the limbs and a general debility of the whole system, and finally was confined to his bed since Feb'y 22d. His death was no surprise, but an event long looked for. Mr. Edson has been for 51 years a member of "Orphans Hope" Lodge of Free Masons, of East Weymouth, and no doubt the brethren will remember this, as a hint with them is sufficient. Mrs. Edson is 81 years of age—a nice old lady, bright and intelligent. She is cared for by an excellent son and daughter, which is a great comfort, but it does not make up for all.

"It was his face and presence which had made
The bright world glorious to her thoughtful eye,
Since first in childhood midst the vines they played,
And sent glad singing through the clear blue sky.
We were then but two—and when that spirit passed,
Wo to me, the last.

The funeral took place at the house on Friday afternoon, the Rev. Jacob Baker, of South Weymouth, conducting the service.

"On Dit."

That this community is characterized by great intellectual activity there can be no doubt. There are many instances to be met with which makes this fact abundantly evident and there are instances, too, which hide themselves in recesses little dreamed of by those who merely pass along the highways of social life. We met with an example of the latter class of instances, not long ago, which is an apt illustration of the truth of what we have just stated. Going to Boston one morning by the South Shore line, we were fortunate in getting a seat immediately in front of two ladies, one of whom was an elderly lady, who had reached that period in life when ambition has run its course, and anxiety for worldly success has ended. The younger lady who might have been her protege, was dressed with apostolical simplicity and neatness, which was admirably in harmony with her cast of countenance. They were engaged in a familiar chat when we took our seat, and we listened attentively. The young lady, addressing the elder, said that she had made the steam engine the subject of study since she was a little girl, and hearing this we sat erect and stared. She continued, by saying that she had often wondered why there were not many more accidents than there were, and she proceeded to explain how that but for the keeping of a certain little pin in its position in a certain part of the engine, an explosion might take place at any time. At this, our heart became faint, and we mentally called up for review "the sins of our youth," taking the big ones first. By this time we were between Quincy and Wollaston, and sure enough the train began to slow until it finally stopped. In our desperation we timidly inquired if she thought the pin was out, and commiserating our fears she said no, for had the pin been out of its position, the train undoubtedly would have stopped, but that *we* should have continued to go, not in a horizontal direction, but in a perpendicular one, perhaps in the direction of the "Little Dipper." We were thankful for this "crumb of comfort," and although we were dumb, yet our eyes spoke our gratitude. So much, then, for the intellectual activity of this community.

MAC.

Base Ball.

A very exciting and closely contested game of Base Ball was played on Hobart's Field, East Braintree, on Saturday, July 7th, between the Union and Nine Spots, both of East Braintree, which resulted in a defeat of the Nine Spots, by a score of 5 to 2, eleven innings being played before the game could be decided. The following is the score:

UNIONS.—*Score.*

	R.	O.
Flood, C.,	0	2
Billings, P.,	1	4
Avery, 1st B.,	1	5
Hobart, 2d B.,	0	3
M. Griffin, 3d B.,	1	3
McDowell, S. S.,	1	3
J. Dowd, L. F.,	1	4
Wallace, C. F.,	0	4
Mullarky, R. F.,	0	5
Total.	5	33

NINE SPOTS.—*Score.*

	R.	O.
J. Griffin, C.,	0	5
Healy, P.,	0	5
Ness, 1st B.,	0	3
Renn, 2d B.,	0	4
Curran 3d B.,	1	4
Flannigan, S. S.,	0	4
Maloney, L. F.,	1	2
M. Dowd, C. F.,	0	3
Parker, R. F.,	0	3
Total.	2	33

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
Unions,	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	—5
Nine Spots.	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	—2

Umpire, J. Dexhimer. Scorer, J. Sharkey.

The Quarterly Meeting

Of the Norfolk Conference Branch of the Woman's Board of Missions, was held in the Chapel of the Pilgrim Church, North Weymouth, Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was one of very great interest and well attended, most of the twenty-three societies constituting the Branch being well represented. Scripture was read by Mrs. Cary, of Brockton, Vice President of the Branch, who presided in place of the President, Mrs. Chapin, of North Weymouth. Prayer was offered by Mrs. J. W. Loud, of Weymouth, and several hymns were sung by the mission circle, Pilgrim Gleaners. Miss Velma Faunce, Corresponding Secretary, read a very interesting letter from one of the missionaries supported by the Branch, Mrs. Chandler, of Southern India. The Treasurer reported the receipt of nearly four hundred dollars during the quarter. A deeply interesting address was given by Mrs. Dr. Bissell, who has had twenty-six years of missionary experience in India. For more than an hour and a half she held the close attention of all present and closed by singing several hymns in the native language. After the Doxology was sung the ladies spent some time in social intercourse, and separated with greatly increased desire and determination to do their part towards giving the heathen a knowledge of Christ, the Saviour of the world.

M. M.

An oriental traveller describes this busy scene, witnessed on historic shores: "Our steamer landed on a beach which was the port of Antioch, where the disciples were first called Christians. There was no town at the water's edge, no people, no wharf. The passengers and the merchandise were put ashore in lighters, which ran up into the sand. A troop of camels, with their drivers, lay on the beach, ready to transfer the goods into the interior. Among the articles landed were boxes marked 'DR. J. C. AYER & CO., LOWELL, MASS., U. S. A.', showing that they contained medicines and whence they came. These with other goods were hoisted on the backs of camels, for transportation to Antioch. Thus the skill of the west sends back its remedies to heal the maladies of populations that inhabit those eastern shore, whence our spiritual manna came."—[Windsor, Vt., Chronicle.

Extensive Works.

The American Tack Co., of Fairhaven, of which Mr. C. D. Hunt, formerly of Weymouth, is Superintendent, occupy thirteen acres of ground, two acres of which are covered by buildings; their wharf, which is 325 feet long, extends for at least half its length into the New Bedford harbor. They manufacture more than 2000 varieties of tacks and nails, to produce which they annually import 300 tons of Swedes iron, and use about the same quantity of American iron, besides large quantities of copper, brass, zinc and steel.

MURDER WILL OUT.

A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to the druggist, Alfred Wyman, Weymouth Landing, and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it. Sample bottles 10 cents.

Marriages and Deaths.

MARRIED.

In South Weymouth, 9th inst., by Rev. G. N. Marden, MR. WM. H. CARTER, and MISS ALICE R. FORREST, both of Weymouth.

In East Braintree, 11th inst., by Rev. Lucien H. Frary, MR. JACOB DEXHEIMER, JR., to MISS JANET LOWSON, both of East Braintree.

In South Braintree, July 1st, by Rev. E. M. Taylor, MR. LEONARD M. HOBART, of Hingham, and MISS RUTH A., daughter of the late Zenas Rogers, of South Braintree.

DIED.

In South Weymouth, July 9, ELIAS HUNT, aged 61 years, 19 days.

In Boston, July 11, HANNAH, widow of the late John Chessman, of Weymouth, aged 73 years, 1 month.

In Chicago, July 11, of consumption, CARRIE A., wife of George L. Blanchard, of La-Salle, Ill.

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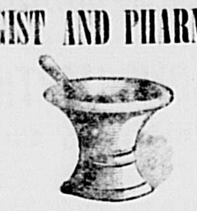

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with all the improvements of a high priced Range, for only $25.00.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber has been duly appointed Executrix of the Will of LIVIA D. WILD, late of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk, widow, deceased, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LIVIA A. WILD, Executrix.
Braintree, June 13, 1877. 912

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Bills payable monthly.

A. & C. HOLLIS.
South Weymouth, May 1st, 1877. 1 13

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Established 1858.

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Agent for the celebrated Howe Sewing Machines, is prepared to supply

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MEETINGS OF THE
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THE Selectmen of Weymouth will be in session at the Town House, every Monday during the municipal year, from two to five o'clock P. M.; and the Overseers of the Poor will meet at the Alms House on the second Tuesday of each month, at two o'clock P. M.

JOHN W. BARTLETT, }
NOAH VINING, } SELECTMEN
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WILLIAM NASH, } POOR OF
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Weymouth, March 6, 1877.

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Having greater facilities and enjoying a more extensive patronage than any similar institution in the United States, offers superior advantages for requiring a thorough

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Parents contemplating placing their children in this school are notified that

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And application for admission at that time should be made without delay.

Interviews may be had with the Principal DAILY, at the School Building, from 9 till 2. Catalogue of teachers and pupils, and prospectus of study post free, by addressing

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D. WHITE.

Weymouth, June 1st, 1877. 5 tf

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JOHN O. FOYE.
June 1st, 1877. 5 tf

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New Shop! New Business!

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Having secured the services of a

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THEY ARE UNEQUALLED.

Thousands who have been benefited by them testify to their worth. For Sale Everywhere.

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THAT the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of CHARLOTTE W. BATES, late of Weymouth, widow, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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Weymouth, June 6th, 1877. 7 9

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Window Shades,
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Hangings,
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FULL line of Agricultural Implements for sale at very low prices by S. W. PRATT.

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THE subscriber now offers for sale TEN PEWS IN THE FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH at Weymouth Landing, for one half of the original valuation for the whole lot.

JOHN O. FOYE.
June 1st, 1877. 5 tf

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FORMERLY OF
Philipps, Shuman, & Co.

Takes pleasure in informing the public and his friends, that he has leased the well known premises formerly occupied by G. H. LANE & CO.,

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Dock Square,
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for the purpose of conducting the manufacture and sale of

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Children's
CLOTHING.

Twenty years experience, both in wholesale and retail, in the above line, justifies me in assuring the public that every effort on my part will be made to meet their wants.

I will offer the following as a specialty:

200 prs.
MEN'S
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Men's Sack Suits,
$5.00, $6.00, $7.00 and $8.00.

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Men's Worsted
FROCKS AND VESTS,
for $10.00, 12.00, and 14.00.

These goods are imported, well made and trimmed.

100 Men's All Wool
CASSIMERE
PANTS!
both of American and Foreign fabric,
for $2.00, $3.00 and $4.00.

ALSO,
25
Boys School Suits,
at $3.50.

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at $5.00.

500
CHILDREN'S
SUITS,
(from 3 to 9,) $2.50, $3.50 and 4.50.

In addition to the above we have just received a LARGE AND COMPLETE LINE OF

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Blue Flannel Suits,

Color warranted pure indigo, which we will offer lower than any house in Boston. Our line of Spring Suitings is now complete, and we ask your kind inspection before purchasing elsewhere.

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Men's, Youth
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CLOTHING
EQUAL TO
ANY HOUSE
IN THE CITY!

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WEYMOUTH LANDING.
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The Weymouth Gazette.

C. G. EASTERBROOK, EDITOR.

THIS local paper has an extensive circulation in surrounding towns, and as an advertising medium has no superior in this vicinity.

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QUIET TIMES IN NEWPORT.

Newport cottages are not so much in demand as they were in other and happier times. The vain attempt to keep up prices will account for this. Persons of moderate means can no longer afford to come here. The large class of moderately well-to-do people who flock from our great cities to the sea shore during the heat of summer find in Narragansett Bay, and all along the coast from Rhode Islrnd to Maine, many charming spots and quiet nooks which offer in the way of rugged coasts, picturesque scenery, coves, ponds and brooks, valleys, promontories and glens, beach, surf and bathing, all those natural attractions which have rendered Newport so famous as a sea-side watering place. At these various places board may be had at $14 a week every way equal to that which costs $21 a week in Newport. Another notable advantage in favor of these less pretentious resorts is the moderate charge for boating, sailing, riding, driving, bathing, &c. Excessive charges are gradually driving away from Newport all but the very wealthy.

The Cresuses of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, and Chicago have expended millions of dollars in magnificent villa residences, which make Newport an almost imperial watering place. Many of these villas would be called castles or chateaus abroad. The most expensive and valuable estates are those that stretch along the cliffs from Bath road at the bathing beach to the boat house at the southern extremity of the island, just at the foot of Lodge road. There are to be found the villas of the Fearing, Gammell, Sheldon, Ives, Kernochan, Lawrence, Rogers, Belmont, Bancroft, Parkman, French, Parish, Stout, Astor (the old Barreda place leased for the season to John Jacob Astor), Ingersoll, Cushing, Tucker, Paine, Brewer, and Sands families, all well known as representatives of great wealth. When in the height of the season, Bellevue avenue is crowded with the faultlessly appointed equipages of these opulent families, the older members in coupes, landaus, caleches, and barouches, the younger ones in tandems, cabriolets, drags, four-in-hands, or mail stage coaches. The modest pedestrian who lives horseless and coachless on $500 a year says, "Verily, this is no place for me."

Newport as a summer residence is admirably adapted to that small class with incomes of from $30,000 to $50,000 a year. Hotel life has given away to cottage life, and thus involves a series of expenses that only the very wealthy can afford. Society, composed of heterogeneous elements from all parts of the country, is essentially an aristocracy of wealth, whatever may be said to the contrary by those who look upon it as the centre of American culture and refinement. It is time Newporters should ask themselves whether a great American watering place can be made to thrive on a limited number of wealthy summer residents, who occupy their own houses, drive mail stage coaches, and hold themselves almost entirely aloof from the vulgar herd.

Those who keep boarding houses, or rent cottages to one or two families—furnishing private tables—complain of the backwardness of the season. Applications for rooms do not come in freely, and the season promises to be even worse than that of last year. Let them remember the class to whose wants they cater are not millionaires. Let them also remember that that class cannot pay the prices that were in vogue during flush times. Strange as it may seem, the price of board at the smaller hotels or larger boarding houses in and near Newport is, as a rule, fully as high today as it was four or five years ago. This absurd attempt to run against the tide resulted in much loss to Newport last year, and, from present appearances, the loss this season will be even greater. Many people, accustomed to come here for years, have been forced to seek less expensive places along the coast. Meantime the average Newport boarding house keeper sits in his half-empty house, and sings hopefully, "They will return, they will return."

As a general, thing nothing is said by the real estate agents touching the great depreciation of Newport property when it is forced on the market by a foreclosure sale or otherwise. Alfred Smith, estimated to be worth over $1,000,000, chiefly accumulated in Newport real estate operations, has been many years the leading real estate broker here. For a long time he had almost complete control of the market, and it was difficult to sell except through him. He bulled the market with a vengeance, and found his count in it. But certain foreclosure sales have established a different scale of values from that known four or five years ago. Property that was sold then at high prices has been bought in by the plaintiffs for a mere song. One single example will show how unremunerative Newport villas are to their owners. Mr. Arthur Bronson lives abroad. His Castle Hill place contains twenty acres on the best part of Bateman's Point; the house, large, commodious and elegantly furnished, fronts on the ocean; the stables and outhouses are ample. The place was valued at $75,000. It is offered for the season at 1,500, and could, no doubt, be had for less. This, after deducting taxes and other expenses, represents seven per cent. on 15,000.

— "Got all kind of ties here?" said a would-be wit, entering a well-known furnishing store.

"Yes, sir," replied the shopman.

"Well, I should like a pig stye," remarked the customer.

"All right, sir, just bend down your hogshead and we will take your measure," said the ready shopman.

— The National Brewers' Association proposes to ask Congress to prevent the States from passing prohibitory liquor laws.

PELICANS IN FLORIDA.

The shallowest bodies of salt water along the Atlantic coast of Florida are Mosquito lagoon and Banana river. They are parallell with the ocean; the lagoon north of the river. Both are within sound of the surf, and can be seen from the lighthouse at Cape Canaveral. They are between five and six miles wide, and from twenty-five to thirty long. The average depth of water is less than two feet. Sand bars and coral beds, acres in extent, appear above their surface, or are barely covered, according to prevailing winds. A traveller entering these watery stretches in a small flat-bottomed sailboat sees afar off white ridges resembling banks of snow. As he nears these banks the water notches them like the teeth of a saw, and they begin to look like rows of marble statues. At a distance of five hundred yards each statue suddenly unfolds an enormous pair of wings and soars into the heavens. They are ermine pelicans, the largest and heaviest birds in Florida. They have been killed measuring nine feet nine inches from tip to tip, and weighing over forty pounds. The plumage is snowy white, the wings tipped with invisible green. The broad breasts are covered with down two inches thick, soft as the softest fur. In Paris the skins have been made into opera cloaks, and then sold at fabulous prices. Muffs and boas as white as the riven snow are also made of the down, and are said to be more beautiful than ermine. These lovely birds have full, expressive eyes, enthroned above bills between two and three feet long. The upper hooks over the point of the lower bill, like the beak of an eagle, and is ridged from the nostrils half way down. Both are amber colored. The pouch is unfeathered, and resembles vulcanized rubber. It will hold half a bushel of fish.

Banana river and Mosquito lagoon are the only places on the ocean coast of the peninsula frequented by ermine pelican. The birds feed in the shallow waters of the submerged sand bars, and roost on the dry bars in the middle of the lagoons at night. They are extremely shy. There are no covers near their feeding grounds, and they cannot be fire-hunted, for they dash into the darkness at the slightest alarm.

The gray or silver pelican fishes in deep water, descending upon its prey like a fish hawk. The ermine bird, on the contrary, stays on the shoals, and probably picks up its food. The two species are disssimilar in character. The gray bird is social and democratic; the ermine reserved and aristocratic. The flight of the ermine pelicans is different from that of the gray. The latter follow their leader in Indian file, soaring when he soars and moving their wings at his signal; the former generally lay their course and move steadily ahead regardless of each other's motions.

Natives tell me that ermine pelicans never breed in Florida. They are said to raise their young on the border of the Arctic ocean. An old whaling captain avers that he has frequently seen millions of them nesting at the mouth of the Mackenzie river and in Athabasca lake. They certainly do not visit Florida to escape the cold winters, for they are seen in Mosquito lagoon and Banana river during the entire summer.

Although democratic by instinct, the silver pelican is the impersonation of dignity. It sits on the water, head erect, its long bill on its breast, like a gray-haired Judge on the bench with hands clasped below his breast. The bird moves through the air like an exalted lubber, head drawn in and neck thrown out in prow-shape, its beak protruding like the spar of a torpedo boat. Its pinions creak with every motion. At regular intervals it soars, as though fulfilling an important religious duty. Long lines fly over the beach, grave as patrols, all moving their wings and soaring at given signals. As they never make a graceful motion and never utter a cry, their gravity and dignity are amusing. Most people laugh outright on seeing a flock for the first time. The body seems to be too heavy for the wings. When diving for fish on a still day the bird makes a splash that is audible for three miles. It strikes the water head first, frequently misses its object, and turns a complete summersault. After apparently reflecting a full minute upon the ups and downs of this life, it begins to beat the water with its wings; its great webbed feet are slowly drawn to the surface, and it mounts the sky for another plunge.

During ebb tide thousands of pelicans are massed at Mosquito and Indian river inlets. They move over the sands like an army, forming crude echelons and other military manœuvres on sight of an enemy. At the crack of a rifle all the birds rise, casting great shadows on the beach and drowning the roar of the surf in the rushing of their wings. They dash around the rifleman like Sioux around a band of emigrants, and after a second shot they settle upon the sand out of range. With the swelling of the tide, schools of cavallo and bluefish enter the inlet. Frightened swarms of mullet scurry for shoal water. Sharks and porpoises follow in the wake of the cavallo and bluefish, and hunt the hunters. Then the army of pelicans move. The sky is darkened by their lubberly bodies. They make no cries, but sweep above the seething mass in wide circles, swooping and plunging until their pouches are filled with fat mullet. Then they return to the bars or bear away to their roosts, and await digestion.

Terrified or pleased, a matured pelican utters no sound. When cornered, it becomes aggressive and fights ferociously, but in silence. Its long bill is as dangerous as a tailor's shears. One nip and a strip of flesh disappears. The bird readily resents an indignity. Not long ago Capt. Sheldon saw a solitary gray pelican on a sand spit near Mosquito inlet. At his approach the bird manifested no fear. One foot was raised, and both eyes were closed. It was sound asleep. The Captain smiled, hesitated, and then kicked it in the most scientific manner. It landed on the sand, turned round as though collecting its thoughts, saw Sheldon's legs, and went for its pound of flesh so successfully that the Captain has kicked no more sleeping pelicans.

PHENOMENA.

The Pittsburg Gazette says a very curious phenomenon has just occurred in that vicinity, about five miles in the country back of town, on a main road leading to Cadiz, at the house of Mr. William McComas, a wealthy farmer. The community around Mr. McComas' are almost all Friends—Quakers—and are not in the habit of producing sudden excitements, hence their reports, together with those of well-known citizens of that place and Wheeling, stamp it with truth.

About 9 o'clock Monday morning Mrs. McComas heard a noise in the pantry, and on going in to learn the cause was surprised to see almost everything there falling from the shelves to the floor, and on replacing some cans of fruit saw they would not stay, but reeled about and fell to the floor. Being alarmed, she at once went and called the men from the fields where they were at work. On coming into the house they were struck with amazement with what was going on.—The neighbors were sent for, many of whom came at once and saw sights such as to throw the most advanced spiritualistic far in the shade. The cooking stove moved from one side of the room to the other. A large piano, weighing about 800 pounds, moved out from the wall half way across the parlor. Two clocks, stationary upon mantels, fell off upon their faces on the floor. They were replaced and did not stop running, nor were they injured. A feather bed in one of the lower rooms raised itself high off the bedstead and rested on the floor, while a feather bed up stairs was carried from one room through another, down stairs and rested on the hall floor. Pots filled with water were thrown off the stove. A sewing machine was thrown almost across the room and rested upside down. Several large jars containing butter of different kinds, and weighing about forty pounds, were turned upside down, and on being hastily filed by the almost frantic people, were placed in a tub where they remained but a moment, when they raised themselves out, emptying out their contents. A tea canister filled with tea, moved across the room in such a position as to empty itself and cover the floor with tea as a farmer would cover the ground with grain; the drawers from the bureau would slowly move from their places out into the middle of the room; several large hams were repeatedly thrown from the hooks to the floor; books from the tables and bookcase were thrown all about the room, and, in fact, everything movable was thrown out of place. While the strange scene was transpiring the neighbors were flocking in and passers-by were filling up the house. More than one hundred saw the affair, and all speak of it as something unheard of before. A part of the things in the pantry had in the meantime been replaced by Mrs. McComas, and while explaining to a party of neighbors, everything she had replaced came tumbling down upon their heads. A batch of eight newly baked loaves of bread were torn into hundreds of pieces and cast about the room, several pieces of which were gathered up and sent to friends.

The phenomena lasted all day Monday until night, was quiet throughout the night, but commenced action again early Tuesday morning and ceased about noon. Hundreds of people have and are still visiting the scene of excitement.

DINNER TABLE HINTS.

When taking a lady down do not ask if she is "peckish" or "sharp-set."

Do not say "I hope they will give us a good tuck-out!"

When you are seated keep calm, *whatever* there is for dinner.

Soup should not be chewed, you must swallow it whole.

Never hammer with your feet for the next course or shout "waiter!"

When anything nice is put on the table, do not chuckle nor rub your chest.

When the entrees come around, make a free choice, but don't pocket.

Never take more than four helps of anything.

Do not sponge your gravy with your bread and squeeze it down your throat; it has an uneducated look.

Never speak with your mouth full; first, because it is vulgar; and secondly, because you can't.

If you feel uncomfortable symptoms arising from repletion you must dissemble; do not call for brandy and peppermint drops.

If your fair neighbor asks what is the matter with you, hasten to assure her it's not catching.

Crack nuts for your hostess—if your teeth are good.

Do not say "I'm chock full!" when dinner is over; it has a foreign air about it.

Before joining the ladies wash your hands in the bowls provided for the purpose; you should not call for soap or bath towels.

— A Bethlehem policeman has had "business cards" printed, soliciting custom.

— The most interesting thing in a Toledo golden wedding was a dance by the bridegroom's father, aged 106, and the old man's great-great-granddaughter aged 16.

— "Plenty of milk in your cans this morning?" the customer asked a milkman. And the milkman nodded gravely as he replied; "Chalk-full."

— A young Scotch lady has applied to a church choir for the position of solferino.

— The man who keeps cool is happier than the man who keeps school, this weather.

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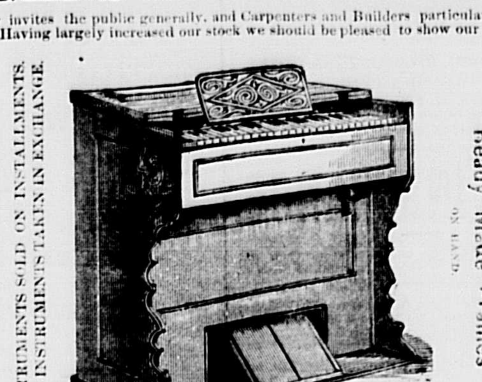

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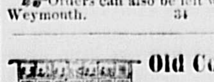

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New York, at 4.30 and 6.00 PM. **Return** 5.00 PM.

New Bedford via Taunton, 3.30 PM; via Fairhaven, 8.00 AM, 4.00 PM. **Return via Taunton,** 8 AM; via **Fairhaven,** 7.20 AM, 2.30 PM.

Newport, at 8.20 AM; 12.00 M; 3.30, 6 (boat) PM—**Return,** 7.20, 10.40 AM; 3.45 PM.

Fall River via **Taunton,** 8.20 AM; 12.00 M; 3.30, 4.30, 6.00 PM; via **Bridgewater,** 8.00 AM; 4 PM. **Return via Taunton,** 5.30a, 6.50, 8, 11.20 AM; 4.18 PM; via **Bridgewater,** 6.30 AM; 3.15 PM.

Taunton, 8.20 AM; 12 M; 3.30, 4.30, 6f PM. **Return** 7.33, 8.45 AM; 12 M; 5 PM.

North Easton, Stoughton, Randolph, 8.20 AM; 12 M; 3.30, 4.30, 6.05 PM. **Return, North Easton,** 6.52, 7.59, 9.05 AM; 12.25, 5.22 PM. **Return, Stoughton,** 6.59, 8.07, 9.12 AM; 12.33, 5.29 PM. **Return, Randolph,** 7.10, 8.16, 9.19 AM; 12.45, 5.37 PM.

Middleboro, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 3.32, 4, 6.05 PM.—**Return,** 6.10, 7.20, 9.15 AM; 12.20, 4.13, 6.24 PM.

Bridgewater, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 12 M; 3.32, 4, 5, 6.05 PM. **Return,** 6.30, 7.38, 9.32 AM; 12.37, 4.36, 6.43 PM.

Brockton, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 1.50, 3.32, 4, 6.05 PM. **Return,** 6.54, 8, 9.47 AM; 12.58, 3.16, 5, 7.02 PM.

Plymouth via **Abington,** 8 AM; 2.30, 4, 5 PM; via **Duxbury,** 7.45 AM; 3.30, 5.30g PM. **Return** via **Abington,** 6.30, 7.40, 11 AM; 3.40 PM; via **Duxbury,** 8.40 AM; 4.20 PM.

East Bridgewater, 8.00 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 5 PM.—**Return** 6.55, 9.53 AM; 3.05 PM.

South Abington, 8 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 5, 6.15 PM.—**Return,** 6.15, 7.12, 10.10, 11.36 AM; 4.15 PM.

South Weymouth, 8 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 4, 5, 6.15 PM. **Return,** 6.34, 7.32, 10.30, 11.55 AM; 4.34 PM.

South Duxbury, 7.45 AM; 3.30, 5.30 PM. **Return,** 7, 9.01 AM; 4.40 PM.

Cohasset, Hingham, Weymouth and East Weymouth, 7.45, 11.15 AM; 2.30, 3.30, 5.30, 6.15 PM. **Return, Cohasset,** 6.44, 7.48, 9.50 AM; 1.16, 4.05, 5.40 PM. **Return, Hingham,** 6.57, 7.58, 10.03 AM; 1.29, 4.20, 5.55 PM. **Return, East Weymouth,** 7.07, 8.05, 10.12 AM; 1.39, 4.30, 6.06 PM. **Return, Weymouth,** 7.16, 8.14, 10.21 AM; 1.49, 4.40, 6.17 PM.

Nantasket, 7.45, 11.15 AM; 2.30, 5.30, 6.15 PM.—**Return,** 6.51, 9.57 AM; 1.23, 4.14, 5.48 PM.

South Braintree, 6.45, 7.30, 8, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50, 11.15 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4f, 4.05, 4.30, 5, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return** 5.55, 6.44, 7.19, 7.25, 7.42, 8.29, 8.50, 9.32, 10.41 AM; 12.04, 12.53, 1.20, 1.52, 3.42, 4.45, 4.55, 5.21, 5.45, 7.18, 8.25, 10.20 PM.

Braintree, 6.45, 7.30, 7.45, 8, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50, 11.15f AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.30, 3.32, 4.05, 5, 5.30, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6, 6.48, 7.25, 7.30, 7.45, 7.47, 8.21, 8.55, 9.36, 10.30, 10.45 AM; 12.57, 1.59, 3.47, 4.51, 4.59, 5.48, 6.27, 8.28, 10.24 PM.

Quincy, 6.45, 7.30, 7.45, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6.06, 6.54, 7.30, 7.36, 7.52, 8.26, 8.37, 9.01, 9.42, 10.36 AM; 12.11, 1.02, 2.06, 3.55, 4.56, 5.05, 5.54, 6.34, 7.25, 8.34, 10.30 PM.

Wollaston Heights, 6.45, 7.30, 9.30, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5.32, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6.10, 6.58, 7.40, 7.55, 9.05, 9.46, 10.39 AM; 1.04, 2.09, 4, 5.08, 6.37, 8.38, 10.33 PM.

Neponset, 6.45, 7.30, 8.20, 9.30, 10.15, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 12.40, 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 5, 5.30f, 5.32, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6.17, 7.05, 7.47, 8.09, 8.37, 9.13, 9.52, 10.43, 11.08 AM; 12.19, 12.50, 2.17, 4.07, 5.16, 6.02, 6.43, 8.45, 10.39 PM.

Harrison Square, 6.45, 7.30, 8.20, 9, 9.30, 10.15, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 12.40, 1, 1.50, 3, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5.05, 5.32, 6.05, 6.25, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM.—**Return,** 6.23, 7.11, 7.51, 8.15, 9.03, 9.18, 9.56, 10.32, 11.12 AM; 12.54, 2.07, 2.21, 4.12, 5.20, 6.12, 6.47, 8.53, 10.43 PM.

West Quincy, 7.45, 9.30 AM; 12.40, 2.30, 5, 6.15 PM. **Return,** 6.48, 7.54, 8.50, 10.53 AM; 2.5, 6.17 PM.

Milton Lower Mills, 6.45, 7.30, 9, (10.15 via Neponset) AM; 1, 3, 4.05, (5.30 via Neponset.) 6.25, 9.30a, 11.15e PM. **Return,** 6.06, 6.54, 7.59, (8.31 via Neponset.) 8.49, 10.18 AM; (12.42 via Neponset.) 1.53, 3.57, (5.05 via Neponset.) 5.58, 8.37a, 10.27e PM.

Field's Corner and Ashmont, 6.45, 7.30, 9 AM; 1, 3, 4.05, 5.05, 6.25, 9.30a, 11.15e PM. **Return, Field's Corner,** 6.18, 7.06, 8.10, 9, 10.29 AM; 2.04, 4.08, 6.09, 8.48a, 10.38e PM. **Return, Ashmont,** 6.12, 7, 8.04, 8.54, 10.23 AM; 1.58, 4.02, 6.03, 8.42a, 10.32e PM.

Sandwich, 8 AM; 4, 6.05g PM. **Return,** 6d, 7.46 AM; 2.43 PM.

Hyannis, 8 AM; 4, 6.05g PM. **Return,** 5.15d, 7 AM; 1.53 PM.

Provincetown, 8 AM; 4 PM. **Return,** 5.15, 11 AM.

Wood's Holl, 8, 11.15 AM; 4 PM. **Return,** 7.30, 11 AM; 2.20, 5 PM.

Martha's Vineyard, 8, 11.15 AM; 4 PM.

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South Braintree, 5.45, 8.15 AM; 12.45, 5 PM. **Return** (South Braintree), 9.18 AM; 1.43, 6, 8.18 PM.

Milton, Mattapan & Shawmut Branch, 1, 5.30, 10.00 PM. **Return** (Milton), 9.39 AM; 2.19, 6.29 PM.

Weymouth, Hingham, Nantasket, Cohasset, D. & C. R. R., Plymouth, 8.35 AM. **Return, Plymouth,** 3.50 PM., Cohasset, 5 PM. Nantasket 5.05 PM. Hingham, 5.12 PM. E. Weymouth 5.20. Weymouth, 5.29.

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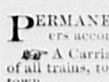

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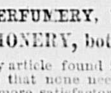

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LITERATURE.

A PARABLE FOR HAPPY HEARTS.

On the earth a Flower grew,
From the Sun its being drew;
Day by day this royal friend
Sent down blessings without end;
Day by day the Flower held up
To be filled its little cup,
And the great Sun ne'er forgot
In the universe this dot.

And the Sun said to the ground,
"Take my light and bear it round,
Till my Flower's searching root
Find my blessing underfoot;"
And he said unto the air,
"Wrap my Flower in tender care:
Whisper in its very heart
That my loving breath thou art."

So the Flower with gifts bowed down,
Humbled to the earth its crown;
"Tell me, Sun, for so much treasure
Showered upon me without measure,
Can I nothing give thee back?
Or, if thou dost nothing lack,
Can I pass these gifts divine
Unto lives less blest than mine?"

But the Sun said, "Nay, not so
Shall thy heart thanksgiving show;
Rather make thou full employ
Of thy privilege and joy,
For the best that thou canst be
Is the service asked of thee."

Then the Flower uprose once more,
Stronger-hearted than before;
Through its seeming useless days
Tried to join earth's hymn of praise
With its given power of bloom,
Grace and color and perfume.

But what joys pass unenjoyed,
What powers only half employed,
Gifts not to the utmost used,
Grace not in its life transfused,
What of all its mighty debt
To the Sun the Flower owed yet,
When its happy life was done,
No one knew but Flower and Sun.

OUR COUSINS FROM BOSTON.

Sister Kate tied Muffin to the fence, and we went through Mr. Tidd's white-washed gate across the clean porch into the little dark entry. Here a sizzling and sputtering, together with the smell of hot lard, made us aware that Miss Ruth was frying dough-nuts even before we entered the kitchen. Yes! there she was, quaint and homely as ever, lean and long, with a hump on her shoulder which made her look as though her face was accidentally put on wrong side before.

"Well, now, if you hain't come and catched me right in the suds, as it were! I wouldn't have my work round clean into the heat of the day; but you see brother relishes a warm cake with his cup of tea, so I most generally fry up a plateful along middle of the afternoon," said the honest soul, in a tone of cheerful content.

Miss Ruth Tidd supposed that Mr. Boaz Tidd, her twin brother, was the axis on which the world revolved (or would, if she had suspected there was an axis needed for such a purpose,) and she treated him with the consideration due such an important part in the economy of nature.

"We want to cross the river. Where is Mr. Tidd?" asked Kate.

"Brother is out a-weedin' in the garling; I'll call him," replied Miss Ruth, taking a large conch shell from a shelf high up in the porch, on which she blew so shrill a blast that Mr. Tidd soon appeared, puffing and wheezing with the exertion of carrying two hundred and odd pounds of body.

After the death of the paternal Tidds, the other ten brothers and sisters renouncing all interest in the Tidd estate, the twins came into peaceful and undivided possession of the little brown ferry-house and four surrounding acres of land. But farther back, in their muscular division, there had been a compromise, whereby Boaz had taken all the flesh and Ruth all the bones.

"Wa'al, what's to pay now?" said Tidd, dropping into a chair and fanning himself with his hat.

"Why, here's the Smith girls want to get over the river, brother," answered Miss Ruth, brisker than ever from contrast, and not a bit out of breath.

"Expecting friends on the cars?" asked Mr. Tidd, looking at me.

"Yes, Sir," said I, briefly, that his taste and talent for investigation might be indulged.

"I thought's likely," he returned.—"Your folks have a sight of company on the cars—wonder if they make it pay. Folks from down below?"

"Yes, Sir," returned Kate.

"Clean from Boston, like enough?" She assented.

"Wa'al, now, it must seem kinder nice to 'em to get out of the noise and dirt of the city into a still place like this-ere. Be they relations o'yourn?"

Kate gave an impatient shrug of the shoulders at this continued plying of the catechism; so I spoke up before she had time to otherwise express her disgust, and informed Mr. Tidd we were expecting our cousin, Frederic Dalrymple, with his wife and two children.

"Cousin by your father's side or your mother's side?" continued the imperturbable catechiser.

Kate groaned, (she was always deficient in the grace of patience,) but the noise of the oars covered the sound, and I helped them by answering quickly.

"Mr. Dalrymple is my mother's nephew, and Mrs. Dalrymple is a niece of father's."

This curious phenomenon of consanguinity afforded a subject for Mr. Tidd's contemplation during a full minute, and by that time we had reached the opposite bank, and his next question was half drowned in the grating of the boat upon the sands as we stepped ashore.

"What business does your cousin follow when he is to home?"

"He is a shoe-dealer," I answered following Kate up the river bank, and directly losing sight of the red boat with its white sail, and the fat figure of the old man, in his blue cotton frock and overalls, stooping to fasten his boat to the shore.

We had been waiting among the blackberry-vines on a great rock within the shadow of the trees for some minutes before we heard the puffing which heralded the coming of Mr. Tidd.

"I stopped at the saw-mill down here and borrowed a wheel-barrow, for I thought's like enough your folks would have a trunk or two. City folks most generally fetch along a lot of traps and finery to show off afore us plowjoggers," said he, quite breathless, as he seated himself upon the wheel-barrow.

"You said your cousin was in the shoe business," he continued. "Now who knows but he would be willing to put a patch on a boot for me while he is here. I wouldn't stand upon paying him what it's worth, and thank him too."

Kate laughed out, and then pretended she heard the car-whistle to distract our attention from it, while I gravely explained that Mr. Dalrymple did not *make* shoes, he only *sold* them. Pretty soon the engine really whistled, and directly we saw a graceful line of smoke and heard the rattle of the coming train that stopped before the platform, with an impatient shriek at the delay.

Fred jumped off, handed down Helen and the children, and while we welcomed them, two great trunks and two little ones were thrown off. Then the train with another shriek moved away, and in a moment had passed around the curve and was out of sight, leaving behind a quiet landscape, where the only life was the grazing cattle, with here and there a farmer in his field, and the birds, startled from their nests by the sudden uproar, that now flew lazily back again.

"Silence like a poultice comes
To heal the blows of sound,"

said Cousin Fred, stretching himself and shaking off the dust.

"I don't see but what city folks are just as green, come to get 'em out into the country, as country folks be in the city," said Mr. Tidd, laughing till his fat sides shook like a toad's.

When we were nearly across Kate heard Mr. Tidd say, in reply to some remark of Cousin Fred's,

"Wa'al, I s'pose the law allows me to tax ten cents; but there was them ere trunks I wheeled down, and I don't commonly refuse it if folks pay me a trifle over; I let 'em if they insist upon it; and he gave another wheezy laugh.

Fred tossed him a quarter as he sprang on to the bank, not heeding Kate's look of remonstrance.

"Father pays by the year at the ferry, and the settlement didn't belong to you. We don't want you overstepping your place here, young man," said she.

"Don't you know, Katherine, the young fellows like to have a chance to make a show of their money before the girls?" said Mr. Tidd, laughing as though he had made a great joke. He always regarded strangers crossing his ferry—especially if from a city—as his lawful prey.

"Oh my! I don't think this is much of a coach, with only one horse!" exclaimed Julia, tossing her small head scornfully, when we came to where Muffin and the carryall stood.

But Miss finally condescended to get in; and presently we heard an outbreak from the back seat, where she rode with her mother and Willie.

"I must ride in front; Josephina can't see anything back here; neither can I."

Her father and mother coaxed some, but the matter ended by my changing seats with her. Hereupon Master Willie set up a cry to go in front too, and finally prevailed. Julia, however, had not yet arrived at perfect happiness. The sun got in her eyes, causing her to flourish about a parasol, to the great detriment of the eyes of other people; and then she found it difficult to shade herself and the doll. Besides, she "was tired to pieces of riding, and she never saw such a *dreadful* slow horse!" When she left off for a little Master Willie was ready to take up the refrain. He wanted to drive; he wanted to crack the whip; and he wanted some cake. On the whole, our ride was not a success, and we were relieved to get home and be over with it.

Helen had a sick headache, and could only take a cup of tea; but Fred, though sorely afraid of being poisoned by saleratus in the biscuit, ate with the hearty relish so flattering to a painstaking housekeeper. There were some side scenes that monopolized the attention of the whole table. Willie insisted on giving his undivided attention to fruit cake and honey, while his father insisted on his devoting himself entirely to bread and milk, which created a schism. Julia didn't like warm biscuit, and couldn't eat bread without it was toasted; her tea-spoon was too small, and her fork too large. So, on the whole, it was a pleasant thing when supper was ended.

Then Helen's head being very bad she went to bed, after taking a warm foot-bath, when I knew she missed the conveniences of her bathing-room.

"Isn't your head well yet, Helen?" asked Fred, when he came home from an unsuccessful squirrel-hunt two hours after dinner-time the next day, and found her pale and sick on the lounge, where she had lain all the morning. "You must have an ice-cream—that usually makes you all right at home."

Glad of any hint for relieving her, Kate and I dropped the work of dish-washing and proceeded to transform an old tin pail into a freezer, and, after a due amount of toiling and moiling, had the satisfaction of hearing Julia exclaim,

"Oh my! this doesn't taste much like the ice-cream at Copelands!"

Nevertheless she contrived to dispose of enough to give the colic to an ostrich; and her stomach being no stronger, the exercises of the afternoon were diversified by doses of winter-green and appliances of hot flannel.

"The ice-cream was too rich," said Helen. "I didn't dare eat freely of it myself, and the little I ate distressed me. Besides, I ought to have told you I can never eat it unless it is flavored with vanilla."

By nightfall we found Cousin Fred on our hands in a high state of disgust and boredom. He had neither brought down any game nor caught a fish: there was no sporting to be had, and so where was the use of being in the country? And it seemed so heathenish to have no daily paper: how did we know but half Boston lay in ashes—his house among the rest? He ordered his papers sent, and supposed he should have to bear it if they did come to hand a day old; but he had no idea we were so far down in the scale of civilization as to have a mail but three times a week. It was so confounded dull in the country that he resolved every visit he would never go again. Give him the life and stir of a city (meaning *Boston*), or else put him off in some uninhabited forest where there was plenty of game and some fun. So he yawned, ate early pears and grumbled, but gave no sign of leaving.

"If it is very dull for him here I should think he would want to go back to Boston. I've no desire to destroy my constitution waiting upon people who are so discontented," said Kate, breaking a tumbler in the force of her emphasis.

Then along came our little sister Rose, hugging her kitten and looking displeased. "I wish Julia would go off; I don't like her!" said she decidedly. "She thinks nothing is of any account out of *Boston*; and keeps saying, 'Oh my! this doesn't seem much like my home!' She doesn't think any doll is fit to look at but her old Josephina—and she despises cats. I hate her!"

"Why, Rose, you oughtn't to talk so about your company," said Kate, benevolently bent on plucking the mote from her sister's eye.

"I don't care! She says the city is a great deal better than the country—and she is unkind to my cat." Here the Maltese and white animal in the arms of the indignant speaker received a squeeze which elicited a plaintive mew. "Her mother had no right to have such a bad girl, and I shan't try to make it pleasant for her any more."

So the proprietor of the mote went pouting off to swing by herself, and Josephina presently appeared in the opposite direction attended by Julia, who said, pertly,

"Why don't you have a Bridget to do these things? Mamma says housework is the business of *servants*, not ladies!"

Then she walked daintily off as though her little slippers were becoming contaminated by contact with the kitchen floor; and we heard her say, fretfully, to her father, "Oh dear! I wish I was in Boston, it is so lonesome here. Josephina doesn't like it either, with nobody to admire her!"

"I suppose we ought to take them to ride, though I had rather go to bed," said Kate, remorsefully.

So Muffin and the carryall were at the door in due time, and then Julia came rushing from the play-room, where we had fondly hoped Josephina's charms would detain her.

"Where are you going? I must go if the rest do. Now, mamma, why did you wish to go away and enjoy yourselves without me?"

Words would have been of no avail in checking this stormy eloquence, and Kate, quietly taking off her bonnet, said Julia could go in her place. Fred thought that was too bad, and Helen inquired if there wasn't room for all, while Julia teased and pouted till the stir aroused Master Willie, who also insisted on being one of the party. By the time we were really on the way Helen was so fagged out with getting the children ready and dressing Josephina, who couldn't go in her pink crape, that she was in no mood to enjoy the beauties of nature, especially with Fred as driver. His method of driving *was* enough to excite the nerves of an oyster, let alone those of a sickly woman.

"Now Fred, you will drive carefully down this steep hill, won't you?"

"Certainly!" he would reply, in an assuring tone, giving a sly cut at Muffin's heels, which started him into a fast run. His favorite pace up hill was a gallop, and he showed a particular affinity for every stone and ditch by the road-side.

Meanwhile the dust blew on Josephina's dress, and Julia didn't think it was half nor quarter as pleasant as riding out to Mount Auburn in the horse-cars. But Willie was more trouble than the three combined. He was disposed to tumble out of the carriage; he cried for every dog and stray cat we passed; he wanted water, he didn't like to ride; he wanted to go home; he would have his hat off, and then was anxious to throw it away. By the time we reached home I was ready to exclaim as Rebecca did to Isaac concerning the daughters of Heth.

"Mamma," said Julia, as she was putting on her doll's night-gown preparatory to rocking her to sleep, "I want you to make a new dress for Josephina; she looks like a perfect fright with her old duds."

"How she would fire up if I said that!" whispered Rose to me.

"Can not you make them do till we go back to the city? I think she looks beautifully."

"Now, mamma, how unkind you are! She has not had a new dress since we came; and she has nothing but what she has worn at least twice," replied Julia, in a much-abused tone.

"You know that doesn't make as much difference in the country, Pet; and I presume we cannot get any material here such as you would like made up for her," replied mamma, soothingly.

Cousin Fred came in just then.

"Oh, papa! I want to go back to the city. Josephina can never have a new and elegant dress in this horrid old place, where there aren't any decent stores; and she hasn't any thing fit to ride home in—for I *can't* have her wear the same dress she came in; what would people think?"

"This town *is* rather of a one-horse concern, that is a fact!" assented Fred. "Why don't you girls get up a picnic or ride of some sort?" he continued, turning to me.

Helen saved me the trouble of replying.

"The girls have no time for anything but work," said she, in a tone of reproof that I fancied was meant for me rather than Fred.

When the Sabbath came Fred said he could worship more truly in "God's first temples;" but though he put in a quantity of fine stuff about having no work of man between the soul and its Maker, if one would attain perfectly the spirit of true devotion, it all seemed to amount to the fact that he preferred a stroll in the woods to going to church; which he accordingly did, while Helen went to one service and got the headache by it.

In place of bringing forth the concealed finery that we hope Mr. Tidd had been in the right about, she had nothing better than a soiled traveling dress and hat to wear, which were vastly inferior to those of the doll, besides being, as we knew, her third-rate set of garments when at home. The trunks it seemed were mostly filled with cotton in clothing and in the piece, which she had brought up to get cleared out in the country air and dew. She informed us, as she glanced at Kate's white crape hat, that overdress was very vulgar in the country.

"We wish to dress as well as the people with whom we associate," said Kate, dryly. I more than suspected she wore her tucked barege solely for the eyes of our cousins from Boston.

At the supper table Helen observed, in a patronizing way, that our church was quite pretty for the country; and Fred remarked that our Sundays were horrid dull, worse even than our week-days; and he believed that he should have drowned himself if it had not been for losing the fish-and-cream supper.

Father and mother looked shocked and Kate disgusted at first, but Cousin Fred had a way of making his friends appear to approve of him even if he was in the wrong.

One day the Dudleys invited us all out there to eat watermelons; and "any thing being better than dead stagnation," we all went. Watermelons, however, were only a title-page to the repast set forth in honor of our cousins from Boston. Dishes named and unnamed—fried, roasted, and boiled; pickled, preserved—and the raw material were set in profuse abundance. We ate heartily and laughed heartily, Fred making himself gay and winning, as he knew well enough how to do; and now, surely, there has been a pleasant break in the monotony of their visit.

"Whoever heard of going to a watermelon party and having cake and oysters before? It seemed really countrified, though I dare say they are nice people," said Helen.

"Oh yes," rejoined Fred. "And don't say they are people of no culture; for I spied a copy of 'Night and Morning' in the sitting room, not to mention a plaster cast of Power's 'Fisher Boy.'"

"How easily one can tell if people have city acquaintances! There comes from that a certain polish which is quite noticeable," returned Cousin Helen, casting a self-gratulary glance about our parlor.

Every thing ends at last, give it time enough, even to the life of Methuseleh, and our cousins finally announced their intention of returning to Boston.

"Ow my! I am awful glad we are going to leave this hateful place, where there is nothing but nasty brown crickets and snakes! I shall tease father never to come again; and I don't think he will, for he says we might just as well stop the daily paper, dismiss Bridget, shut off the gas, take down the musquito bars from the windows, and not step out of doors or let any body in, and so stay at home, as to go into the country," said Julia, by way of valedictory.

Whittlings.

— The Chicago papers call that tornado "she"—probaly because it made a bustle in the outskirts.

— An original poem read by a school girl in Adrian, Miss. had 300 twelve-line verses.

— George Francis Train says he finds Boston "corroded with the midnight livery of unutterable gloom," a condition we have ourselves noticed, but have omitted to mention, having relatives there.

— Twelve years ago Richmond, with 45,000 innabitants, lay half in ruins. Now she has rebuilt the whole of the burnt district, has established 200 factories, and with a population of 75,000 people is the handsomest city in the world.

— A man's young wife entertained him with selections from Wagner, after which he expressed himself as resigned to go to bed, where he slept very soundly. Toward midnight cats assembled in the back yard and yowled frightfully. The sleeper did not get up and throw bootjacks at them, but turned on one elbow and whispered in his dreams: "Sing it once more, Elvira; sing it once more." She sings it no more, neither anything else, but thinks of beating her piano into kindling wood and turning her music book into curl papers.

— Sellers of liquor in Oregon are not required, under a new law, to be licensed; but every drinker must pay $5 a year for a license, and whoever sells to an unlicensed person may be imprisoned. The names of the procurers of licenses are to be published every six months.

— Dr. Mary Walker swears by yonder pale moon that she will never marry and risk the humiliation of having a husband come in and request the loan of her black pants so that he might join in a fireman's parade.

— Mrs. Mary Parish, of Fort Lee, has been noted for her active opposition against the traffic in liquor, having prevented many dealers from getting licenses and prosecuted others. By her efforts the character of the village has been improved. July 4th she was set upon in her own yard by a brutal, drunkeu fellow, named Hanlon, and beaten almost to death. The fellow escaped after telling her he had been hired to kill her.

How doth the little busy boy,
On Independence Day,
Go forth his neighbors to annoy,
Exuberantly gay;

And when, in fair Aurora's train,
Another day hath come,
How doth he mourn in tears and pain
His absent little thumb.

— A little New Hampshire girl poured ammonia over her clothes, and her lungs were so affected by inhaling the fumes that she died.

— A clumsy man with big feet is the biggest train-wrecker a lady knows of.

— According to the Year Book of the Trinity Church of New York, the total amount of property held by the corporation is 7,000,000 dollars; the annual revenue is 500,000 dollars.

— The plan of making it rain just when one pleases is all well enough, perhaps, as the scientists figure it out, but how will they manage when a man wants to wet down his corn field the same afternoon the church society hold their annual picnic.

— "Look out for 'poison' when the bell rings" A little glass instrument has been invented, to be attached to all bottles in drug stores containing poison. As soon as the bottle is lifted from the shelf, a little bell is rung by the instrument, giving notice that the bottle contains poison.

— A dog with a tin pan attached to his tail is rarely willing to depend on the slow process of evolution for progress. He will usually take the middle of the road and spread himself, no matter what happens to science or basin.

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☞ The report of the School Committee conference furnished for our columns last week, was unavoidably omitted last week, after it had been put in type, and the writer will please accept this statement as an apology for its non-appearance.

School Committee Conference.

As announced in last week's GAZETTE, the members of the different School Committees in the towns of Norfolk County held a meeting in Boston last Friday, in the rooms of the Boston School Committee. J. Q. Adams, Esq., of Quincy, presided, and Sanford W. Billings, of Sharon, was chosen Secretary. The topic presented for consideration of the meeting, "How can the efficiency of the common schools be increased?" was the subject of interesting remarks by Col. Parker, Sup't of Quincy schools, who described some of the tests which he was in the habit of applying in schools, the first of which was to give a class of children a reading book of the same grade as that to which they had been accustomed, though different in form, and his experience was that the children wouldbe unable to read smoothly and well. Another of his tests was to have the children undertake to use in original sentences words which they had read over and over again. He said that some children seemed to cultivate a habit of inattention which he had tested and proved to his satisfaction. He spoke further of tests in grammar, the substance of his remarks being that frequently children could not practically apply what they had learned, and he urged upon superintendents and committees the importance of applying practical and effective tests.

He was followed by the President of the meeting, who stated in the course of his remarks that many scholars in the public schools were unable to properly read even the ordinary matter of a newspaper. Rev. J. Osgood, of Cohasset, said that he had tried an experiment with good results, in adding illustrated books to the regular text books, and giving the pupils an opportunity to describe in their own terms the matter depicted. Hon. Winslow Battles, of Randolph, thought the majority of men in this country were not proficient in reading, and in this view of the subject the children could not be other than poor readers.

Some discussion ensued on the question of employing School Superintendents, in which C. F. Adams, Jr., of Quincy, asserted that the cost of education in that town was twice as much as it was twenty years ago, and asked if the results were better in proportion, also maintaining that it was necessary to establish a staff of scientific men to stand between the school boards and teachers.

Mr. W. H. Lincoln, of Brookline, spoke of the methods of instruction in Brookline schools, and said that for two years there had been no Superintendent of Schools in that town, but that the results of school work had been satisfactory.

Hon. J. D. Philbrick, Sup't of Boston schools, sustained Mr. Adams' view of the importance of having experts between committees and teachers, declaring that school committees had exhausted their capabilities of forwarding the work of education.

The Sec'y of the State Board of Education also took part in the discussion, and alluded to the importance of presenting to pupils the objects of ideas whenever the latter were advanced. He advised committees to be sure that recitations did not represent a mere waste of time and money, as much was learned merely by rote, and proved to be useless to the pupil.

In support of his remarks, Mr. A. G. Boyden, Principal of Bridgewater Normal School, said that many pupils at these institutions came there with but a partial knowledge of the common branches of education, and the result was that time had to be spent in academic studies at the expense of professional training.

A preamble and resolution, prepared by Mr. Adams, was offered for consideration of the convention and adopted, its text being as follows:

Whereas the expenditures of the towns of Norfolk county on account of their schools, are now heavy, and the results attained admit, in our opinion, of very considerable improvement,

Resolved, that we suggest to the State Board of Education and to the school committees of other counties the expediency of carefully considering whether a system of county supervision by trained specialists could not be devised, which in practice might be made productive of the most beneficial results.

Rev. Dr. Miner, a member of the State Board of Education, expressed his gratification in listening to the discussion and in its fruits, also suggesting that the School Committees should use their influence to induce teachers to more generally attend teachers institute meetirgs.

A committee was appointed to effect a permanent organization, their report, which was accepted, recommending that the organization be known as "The Association of the School Committees and Superintendents of Norfolk County"; that meetings be held in May and October, and presenting the following list of officers:—

President, JOHN Q. ADAMS, of Quincy.

Secretary, SANFORD N. BILLINGS, of Sharon.

Executive Committee, W. H. LINCOLN, of Brookline, WINSLOW BATTLES, of Randolph, and REV. DR. BIXBY, of Norwood.

The meeting was then adjourned.

PUCK.

"GRETCHEN'S JOYS AND SORROWS," translated from the German, by Helen M. Dunbar Slack, has been published by A. Williams & Co., Boston, and we are indebted to the translator for a copy. The work has been honored with an eighth edition in German, and the translation is a faithful rendering of the sprightly tale of home life in Germany, Mrs. Slack being an excellent German linguist. The price is only 50 cents, and as a companion in summer travel or for a tarry at pleasure resorts, it is just what is wanted to while away a passing hour.

Medical Examination.

Dr. C. C. Tower, Medical Examiner of this District, made an examination in the case of James Carrigan, who was found dead in his bed at East Braintree, last Wednesday morning. It appears that Carrigan had taken an overdose of chloral, although he was cautioned when he purchased the article, not to take more than a teaspoonful at a time, and once in two hours.

TOWN AND VICINITY.

G. A. R. and Masonic Funeral.

Comrade Charles Campbell, of Post 58, G. A. R., died at his residence in East Weymouth, last Friday, after a lingering illness, having been afflicted with consumption for a year past, the disease developing a fatal tendency within a few months past. He was employed for several years as a nailer in the works of the Weymouth Iron Co., and was at one period connected with a cooperative nail company in Towanda, Pa. He also made a visit to California, and worked in the mines of that State.—During the past winter he had been employed as a night watchman in the store of Messrs. John P. Lovell & Sons, Boston, but was compelled to leave his post in May last, and was confined to the house from that time to his decease.

As one of his associates remarked on Sunday, "everybody who knew him had a good word for Charley Campbell," and the large number of attendants at his funeral proved the general esteem in which he was held.

Mr. Campbell was born in Boston July 26, 1826, and when the war of the rebellion broke out he enlisted in Co. D., 4th Massachusetts Cavalry, on the Hingham quota, leaving for the field in January, 1864, being afterward transferred from this arm of the service to the navy, where he served the remaining time of his enlistment on board of a gunboat. He returned home with an honorable discharge and a good record as a soldier and seaman, which honorable reputation he continued to sustain among his comrades of the Grand Army, verifying the Scriptural assertion that "A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favor rather than silver and gold."

In accordance with the order of the Commander of Post 58, G. A. R., the comrades to the number of over 100 men, assembled on Broad street, in front of Henry Loud's store, last Sunday, at 2 P. M., for the purpose of paying due honors to the departed comrade, their march to the late residence of the deceased being solemnized by the roll of muffled drums and wailing notes of the fife, the services of the Simpson Drum Corps, of South Weymouth, having been procured for the parade. Old Colony Lodge, F. & A. M., (Charles Burr, W. M.,) of which body the deceased was a member, were also present, the brethren numbering about 50, forming under the direction of the Marshal, bro. Demerick Marble. The services at the house were conducted by Rev. J. Baker, pastor of the Universalist Church, South Weymouth, and the services being ended, the body was borne to the hearse by the bearers, Comrades Charles S. Redmond, Nath'l B. Peare, and Jas. H. Stevens, of the Post, and bros. David Cain, A. W. Dunbar, and E. L. Cushing, of Old Colony Lodge, Messrs. Ripley & Newhall, of Hingham, being the undertakers.

The procession was then formed for the march to Fort Hill Cemetery, Hingham, Post 58 acting as escort, under command of Benj. S. Lovell, C. W. Hastings, Adjutant, and John H. Whelan, officer of the day. The firing party was composed of comrades C. W. Hayward, David Dunbar, R. Holbrook, B. R. Kenison, John F. Loud, Geo. F. Maynard, Edwin Martin, and Wm. F. Merchant. The coffin was draped with the starry banner, and following the hearse were a large number of carriages containing the Masonic brethren and friends of the deceased.

As the procession filed into the Cemetery the Post was drawn up in line and the Lodge and mourners passed on to the tomb where the remains were to be deposited, when the impressive burial service of the Masonic order was commenced by Worshipful Master Burr, assisted by Rev. Mr. Miles of Hingham, who made a short address, expressive of sympathy with the mourning friends and the bodies with whom the deceased had been associated. In addressing the fraternity, he alluded to the departed as a brother whom they had learned to esteem and love, and who had been elevated to a higher degree than they could give, and now comprehended the meaning of words and symbols which we, on this side of the river of death, can understand only in part. There is a great moral power in this institution, which for so many hundreds of years has gathered around the graves of departed brethen, in solemn observance of funereal rites. No matter with what sect or political party he affiliated; no matter where he was born, or whether he was rich or poor, we love to take the strong hand of a brother living, and desire in the event of death, to pay the last tribute to the departed with an affection that will never cease.

The comrades of the Grand Army, too, he said, will also permit us to mingle our sympathies with theirs. We honor them for their tokens of respect toward a departed comrade. We of this peaceful fraternity and they, as comrades in arms, have a mutual share in this bereavement. But our tears may be dried by the reflection that a good and honest man has gone to his rest, and that this dispensation is but the order of God's providence, who doeth all things well. Why should we mourn at the departure of one so honored in his life and in his death? The glad sunshine gilds his tomb, the green branches of the trees wave around, the breezes of heaven kiss our brows as though nothing to be lamented had occurred, and these smiles of nature are the smiles of the good Father, who assures us that all is well. Therefore continue to shine, O sun! continue to wave, ye branches! continue to blow, ye breezes of heaven! and may they be to us the sign that an honest man has ended his career. So may it be with this gathering of friends and brothers, that this lesson shall be taken to all our hearts; and though we feel death to be brought near to us by this dispensation of providence, may its approach fill us with no terror and alarm, but rather with joy that it will be well with us when life's short day has ended, and believing that he who ordereth all events is able to keep what is committed to him. The reverend speaker then offered a short prayer, and the fraternity having retired from the entrance to the tomb, the Post advanced to the spot, and the firing party discharged three volleys, which ended the ceremonies.

The following order of the Commander of Post 58 was issued on the announcement of his death.

HEADQUARTERS REYNOLDS POST, No. 58, DEP'T OF MASS., G. A. R.
Weymouth, July 14, 1877.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 3.

I. Again the mournful duty of announcing the death of a member of this Post, devolves upon the Commander. Comrade Charles Campbell, residing at East Weymouth, calmly and peacefully passed away yesterday, Friday, the 13th.

The event was not unexpected. The comrade, as is well known to the Post, had been in consumption many months, and had become so reduced that several months ago his death at any moment would not have been a surprise.

During his long sickness, which he bore with the patience and fortitude of the true soldier, he has received, and fully appreciated the ministrations of his comrades of the Post, his Masonic brethren of "Old Colony Lodge" of Hingham, neighbors and friends.

Comrade Campbell served his country in its late struggle for life, in "Co. D," 4th Mass. Cavalry, and also in the Navy.—He was a most worthy and faithful member of the Post, and was held in high regard by his comrades, who will deeply lament his loss. On their behalf, the Commander would feelingly tender to the afflicted widow of our late comrade, most sincere sympathy, and such sentiments as may inspire her with encouragement and hope. Let her receive the assurance that in her sorrow and weeds, she is encircled by brothers, strong and willing to relieve.

II. The funeral will take place at the home of the deceased at 3 o'clock P. M., on Sunday, tomorrow, the 15th, and in accordance with the desire of comrade Campbell, the Post will engage in the services with the "Old Colony Lodge" of Masons of Hingham, each performing the services peculiar to its organization.

The members of Post 58 will therefore assemble in full uniform, and wearing the usual badge of mourning, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, near Jackson Square, East Weymouth, and accompanied by Simpson's Drum Corps, proceed to the house. The body will be conveyed, under escort of the Post, to the Cemetery on Fort Hill, in the town of Hingham.

The Adjutant is hereby directed to detail, and take command of eight comrades as a guard of honor, and to fire the usual volleys at the grave. He will also cause the Colors and Banner to be properly draped.

This order will be forthwith promulgated by the Adjutant, to as many comrades as possible in the several villages, and at an early date, he will transmit a copy to Mrs. Campbell, and also furnish a copy for publication in each of the newspapers of Weymouth. By order of

B. S. LOVELL, *Post Commander.*
CHARLES W. HASTINGS, Adjutant.

Engine Houses.

The proposals received by the committee on erection of engine houses in Weymouth were opened last Friday, when it was found that Mr. Charles Simmons, of East Weymouth, was the lowest bidder, his offer including the four houses, which he offered to build for $5,120. The other bidders were Henry Gardner, $7,000 for the four; Wm. P. Marlow, $1,393.75 for one, or four for $5,575; J. E. Rice & Son, $1,870 for one in Ward 2; Geo. A. Cushing, $1,600 for one, or four for $6,200; Henry A. Peterson, one in Ward 3 for $1,830; Charles H. Chubbuck, one for $2,750; John Seabury and P. Garcelon, one for $1,975.

Deceased.

At Downer Landing the proprietor has introduced a cage of monkeys as a means of entertainment for children, and last Tuesday morning the oldest of these "connecting links of the Darwinian theory" gave up the ghost at the age of seven years, New England climate being too rigorous for his constitution.

Rare Game.

One day last week Mr. Samuel Ross killed a rattle snake on the premises of Messrs. Barnes Bros., of Lovell's Corner, the snake having seven rattles. The reptile was despatched by a shot from a gun.

Rental.

J. R. Austin, Esq., agent for the New York Life Ins. Co., has rented the cottage of Mr. A. J. Randall, near Gun Rock, Cohasset, for a few weeks.

Sold.

Mr. Samuel Curtis, of Stoughton, has sold his cottage and land near Gun Rock, Cohasset, to Elisha Mann, of Randolph, for $2,300. The lot is 4½ x 6 rods dimensions.

Excursions.

The annual excursion of the North Weymouth Social Choir to the Atlantic House occurs next Thursday, and as every preparation has been made to ensure a "good time," the attendance will no doubt be very large.

Shock.

Mr. O. B. Shaw, of Lovell's Corner, was attacked with paralysis Wednesday morning last, and at last accounts was seriously ill.

Fruit and flowers for the Boston Hospitals may be sent next week to Miss S. H. Richards, Washington Sq.

Historical Notes.

Zecheriah Bicknell, (3) son of John Bicknell, (2) who was son of Zachary Bicknell, (1) removed from Weymouth to Swanzey, now Barrington, R. I. Some years before he left he and wife Hannah, sold by leave of Court, his Estate in Weymouth to a Committee of the town—Col. Ephraim Hunt, Capt. French, Lieut. Jacob Nash, Elder John Rogers and William Torrey, for use of the town—Bicknell agreeing to quiet the heirs of John Bicknell. The estate was bounded southerly by Albert Whitman's, northerly by Burying Hill Meadows, westerly by Salt River and a Creek, easterly by town's land and Micajah Torrey.

Query. Is the present Parsonage at North Weymouth on the above described estate?

J. W. P.

[Copy of letter from Gen. Solomon Lovell, of Weymouth.]

HULL, August 4, 1777.

SIR: In obedience to ye orders of your Hon'd board, I have in all particulars comply'd with the same. I arrived here Satterday morning and yesterday morning had the pleasure of seeing the Detachment of my Brigade upon the Spot, also appearing in high spirits, and from my knowledge and opinion of the officers and soldiers I have no kind of doubt with a most determined resolution to defend this most important Post, agreeable to your orders, to ye last extremity. But as there is yet no appearance of the Fleet and it was reported yesterday that the supposed appearance at Cape Ann is a mistake, and it being an extremely busy season of ye year, I submit to your Honours, if agreeable to their request, I may dismiss all or a part of the detachment for the present, those so dismissed to hold themselves in readiness to appear again at the shortest notice.

I have the Honour to subscribe myself
Your most Humble Servant,
SOLOMON LOVELL."

New Firm.

Messrs. John Ford and T. J. McCormick have commenced the undertaking business, and have procured a new and elegant hearse of Brownell's manufacture, New Bedford. The hearse is fitted with gold mountings, plumes and improvements for safe conveyance of bodies, and the sides are draped in tasty manner.—The cost of the hearse was between $700 and $800. It is fitted for one or two horses, and a handsome pair of black horses has been procured for the business. Mr. McCormick has charge of the coffin warehouse, and for details of the business our readers are referred to the card of the firm in our columns. The hearse was used for the first time at the funeral of Mr. Jas. Corrigan, today.

EAST WEYMOUTH.

Fishing Party.

The waters of Buzzard's Bay and Vineyard Sound were the scene of a very pleasant excursion to the fishing grounds of that enchanting region made by a company of gents resident in East Weymouth, the week of the 4th. The excursionists were Messrs. Oliver Burrell, W. F. Burrell, Aug. E. Tirrell, Albert Burrell, Stephen Cain, Jr., David Grinnell, and Charles Matherson, who embarked from Wareham in the yacht "Dempsey's Dream," and made sad havoc with the blue fish and other finny inhabitants of those waters, varying their fun with a yacht race, in which they "cleaned out" every boat in the Bay, and to the surprise and delight of their opponents, as the boat rounded to at the pier the victors appeared in the role of musicians and performed the air, "The girl I left behind me," in fine style.

The Vineyard was, however, the principal point of attraction for the excursionists, and the next day they went bowling down the Bay and the rocky mazes and bewildering currents of Woods Hole, out into the broad Sound, the yatch's bow pointing to Oak Bluffs, where they arrived safely and quartered at the Central House. Landlord Fuller threw open his parlor in the evening, and the musicians favored a large audience with an instrumental concert, the piano performance of Mr W. F. Burrell eliciting much favorable comment. The party were also the recipients of hospitable attention from Z. L. Bicknell, Esq., whose family is sojourning at the Bluffs, and taken as a whole, their trip to this fine watering place was one of great pleasure to all. The party returned home on Saturday, having spent the time in a most agreeable manner.

Garden Raids.

The annual plundering of the vegetable gardens has commenced, and many owners of gardens have recently suffered from these depredations. An effectual remedy for this species of "kleptomania" was introduced by a well-known physician of Duxbury some years ago, who charged his water-melons with a vigorous purgative, and the next day he was called to attend a patient who had been suddenly attacked with a general collapse of his internal organs. The Doctor gravely examined the patient, and with a solemnly jocose air, exclaimed, "Why Mr.——, I guess you've been eating water-melons!" The Doctor's garden was safe ever after, and perhaps a similar remedy might prove efficacious at East Weymouth.

Elected.

D. D. C. L. Johnson, accompanied by about 30 members of Mt. Washington Encampment of So. Boston, installed the following officers of Wompatuck Encampment, No. 18, I. O. O. F., Wednesday evening.

Chief P., J. A. Cushing.
H. P., H. F. Noyes.
S. W., Geo. C. Drew.
Scribe, H. A. Bailey.
Treasurer, K. Chamberlain.
J. W., Jason Gardner.

Suggestion.

As the Weymouth Band propose to give weekly out-door concerts in different sections of the town, why do not some of our public spirited and influential citizens start a subscription paper toward putting up a band stand in this place, one that can remain as a permanent and tasty ornament to our village.

Installation.

District Deputy Grand Dictator, Joseph F. Gould, of South Boston, assisted by D. D. G. Guide Bailey, and D. P. G. D., Geo. W. Fay, installed the officers elect of Cooper Lodge, No. 485, Knights of Honor, Tuesday evening. After the installation ceremonies the brother Knights repaired to the banquet hall, where an ample collation was prepared.

New Team.

A new and handsome grocery team has made its appearance on our streets, bearing the inscription, "Z. L. Bicknell & Co."

Arrival.

Mr. Leonard W. Cain and family returned home from a sojourn at the Vineyard, last Saturday evening.

New Buildings.

Seventeen new dwellings are to be erected between this time and September 1st, within a mile of Shaw's Corner. The work is in the hands of eight or nine different builders.

Emanons.

The Emanon Literary and Musical Society met at the residence of Capt. Nathan Goodspeed, Monday evening, July 9th. Nothing of importance was done, and the society adjourned until September.

Fire.

The fire fiend has again visited our village, and property has again been sacrificed to appease his insatiable appetite.—Monday evening, shortly before eight o'clock, the rendering establishment of Mr. Charles H. Pratt, 3d, situated near Wharf St., and north of the S. S. R. R. track, was discovered in flames, and together with its contents was quickly destroyed. Mr. Pratt was the first to discover the fire. Having occasion to go into the upper portion of the establishment, he found a kettle of oil which was in the process of refining, enwrapped in flames. Quickly descending he informed his brother, Mr. S. A. R. Pratt, that the building was on fire, and they immediately proceeded to save what they could, and were soon aided by others who had quickly collected upon hearing the cry of fire. The entire contents of the building being of a highly combustible nature, rendered it unsafe to long remain inside, and but little was saved besides the two horses and a small amount of skirting and leather chips. Considerable excitement was occasioned at one time during the fire by the rumor that there was danger of another building adjacent to this one, and belonging to Mr. Pratt, blowing up, as it contained seven barrels of naphtha, but fortunately no such catastrophe happened, and the only accident during the excitement happened to Mr. Bernard Fitzsimmons, who while trying to save some tools from the burning building was struck upon the foot by a falling barrel and had his toes considerably bruised; but he pluckily held on to the tools and brought them forth in triumph from the flames.

The Torrent, Extinguisher and Deluge fire engines arrived from Hingham, but too late to be of service. The loss was estimated at $1700, with insurance of $500 in the Newark, New Jersey, Company.—Mr. Pratt intends to erect another building as soon as the insurance has been adjusted, and we wish him every success that such indomitable pluck deserves.

Accident.

A carriage containing Mrs. Willard J. Dunbar and Miss Clara French, was capsized Wednesday afternoon in coming out of Mrs. Dunbar's yard. The horse turned suddenly to the right, and after freeing himself from the body of the carriage proceeded rapidly up High St., with the foward wheels, and run into the yard of Mr. Joseph Totman, where he was secured. Mrs. Dunbar was considerably bruised, but fortunately escaped with no broken bones; Miss French immediately regained her feet upon being thrown out, and started after the horse.

OLIM.

Serious Accident.

Mr. Frank Cowing met with quite a serious accident Wednesday morning. It seems that Mr. Charles N. French was leaning over the window sill in an uppr story of Messrs. M. C. Dizer & Co's manufactory, listening to the *soul inspiring music* of a hand organ, holding a short pointed shoe knife in his hand, when Frank came up behind and threw his arms playfully around him, intending no doubt to startle him by his unexpected presence. Drawing his arms around Mr. French, he pressed tightly and the knife coming in contact with his arm below the elbow inflicted a severe cut about an inch deep, and severing an artery, from which the blood spurted in a stream. Dr. Frazer was called, and skilfully dressed the cut.

On the afternoon of the same day Mr. Wm. Cushing, the meat and provision dealer, cut his forefinger with a butcher knife. He was obliged to have it sewed in order to stop the flow of blood.

Base Ball.

A match game of Base Ball was played last Saturday between a picked nine from East Weymouth and a picked nine from Hingham, which resulted in favor of the East Weymouth nine, the score standing 27 to 11, as will be seen below.

WEYMOUTH NINE.—*Score.*

	O.	R.
H. Burrell, C.,	0	4
W. Porter, P.,	0	5
A. Hawes, S. S.,	0	2
W. Raymond, 1st B.,	2	3
G. Bicknell, 2d B.,	4	3
F. Burrell, 3d B.,	0	2
R. Mills, L. F.,	1	3
H. Raymond, C. F.,	6	1
H. Cushing, R. F.,	2	4
Total.	15	27

HINGHAM NINE.—*Score.*

	O.	R.
C. Leavitt, P.,	2	1
J. Moore, C.,	2	1
W. Shute, S. S.,	5	0
F. Lane, 1st B.,	4	1
N. Faxon, 2d B.,	0	2
H. Coughlin, 3d B.,	0	2
W. Keating, L. F.,	5	1
J. Clarke, C. F.,	5	1
F. Fearing, R. F.,	1	2
Total.	24	11

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Weymouth Nine.	6	0	4	7	0	4	4	0	2	—27
Hingham Nine.	4	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	2	—11

Umpire, S. Fearing. Time of game, 1 h., 55 m.

Removal.

The yacht "Willie," owned by Mr. Charles D. Lowrey, has been again replaced in Whitman's pond.

Finished.

The new mansard roof of Messrs. M. C. Dizer & Co's manufactory has been fully completed, and reflects much credit on the contractor, Mr. Wm. Penniman, of South Braintree.

Engine Meeting.

The Engine Company held a meeting in the Reform Club rooms last Tuesday evening, at which time they voted to accept the by-laws. The company has its full number, 50 men, which the town allows. A committee on procuring suits for the company was chosen, viz.

Willard J. Dunbar, John W. Tirrell, Robert F. Shaw.

Another meeting will be held next Tuesday evening.

Erection.

Mr. John Fennell has commenced the erection of his new dwelling on Broad St., which is to be a fine structure, and will add greatly to the appearance of the street.

Visitation.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union and the members of the Reform Club visited the Reform Club at their room in Old Spain, last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Geo. W. Young's "Semper Paratus" and "Minnehaha" conveyed the party.

ROVER.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

Accident.

Last Friday afternoon the box team of Messrs. Reuben Loud & Son was standing in front of W. A. Shaw's boot and shoe factory, when the horses started and ran down Main street to Nash's Corner. In endeavoring to pass a wagon loaded with hay which was standing in the street, the horses came in contact with the fence at Mr. Wm. G. Nash's, damaging the fence and a shade tree, and breaking the pole of the wagon. One of the horses was thrown over the fence, landing on his back.

I. O. O. F.

Wildey Lodge, No. 21, I, O. O. F., installed the following elected and appointed officers on Monday evening of last week, D. D., Geo. W. Pratt, performing the ceremonies.

N. G., J. A. Fogg.
V. G., L. A. Cook.
Sec'y., N. B. Thayer.
P. Sec'y., J. L. Curtis.
Treas., G. R. Thayer.
Warden, W. H. Joy.
C., D. V. Pool.
I. G., G. B. Chessman.
O. G., F. A. Dunbar.
R. S. N. G., T. M. Graves.
R. S. V. G., W. H. Sargent.
Q. S. V. G., J. H. Stetson.
R. S. S., M. Gardner.
L. S. S., E. S. Wright.
Chaplain, O. B. Bates.
Organist, W. Loud.

A delegation of brothers from Crescent Lodge, No. 82, of East Weymouth, were present.

Perilous Adventure.

A party of four ladies and one gentleman, one of the ladies being the wife of Mr. Geo. Conant, of South Weymouth, while rowing along the shore at Brant Rock in a dory, were blown out into the Bay by a violet southeast wind, although the gentleman manufully struggled at the oars until exhausted. They continued to drift until their signals of distress were seen by Capt. Lanman, of the Ocean Gem, of Plymouth, who came with his boat to the rescue and landed them in safety.

Out-door Concert.

The Weymouth Band gave a concert in Columbian Square, Monday evening, presenting the following programme:

1, Amiritia March, Wiegand. 2, Andante and Waltz, Rollenson. 3, Village Belle Polka, Reeves. 4, Un Ballo in Maschera, Verdi. 5, Amazon Polka, Rollenson. 6, Ninth Regiment Quickstep, Downing. 7, Lizzie Waltz, J. Levy. 8, East Wind Galop, Walter Lewis. 9, Torpedo Polka, Rollenson. 10, Souvenir of Phil Quick, C. Mars. 11, The What Is It? Bezer. 12, Qui Vive March, Downing. 13, Medley, Familiar Airs.

A very large company was assembled, and although the dampness of the evening interfered with the brilliancy of the tone, the style of rendering was excellent and drew many complimentary remarks from many strangers who were present. Weymouth has reason to be proud of her band, and the kindness shown in favoring our citizens with this series of free concerts is only another token of the liberality and public spirit of its members. After the concert the Band were invited to Whitman's Ice Cream Saloon for entertainment.

Excursions.

The Universalist Society went to Downer Landing Tuesday, some 150 participating in the pleasure. The day was not very favorable, but the party spent a pleasant time in a social reunion.

On Wednesday the Union Society went to the Rockland Cafe, Nantasket Beach. A very large party were present, numbering about 200. This seems to be a favorite resort for the children, being near the open sea, and the day being fine, every hour of it was enjoyed by the party.

Mr. Marden has accepted the very unanimous call given him by that society, and a great degree of harmony prevails. Mr. Marden brings a warm heart and earnest life to his work, and we cannot but look for a rich blessing to rest upon this union.

The Second Cong'l Society are waiting for the return of their pastor from his vacation, for their annual excursion. Mr. Stanton expects to be away till the first Sabbath in August. The S. School will hold their session at half past ten during his absence, attending preaching service in the afternoon at the Union church, or such place as their inclination may direct.

We are needing rain very much in our village; many of our shade trees are losing their foliage, and a few weeks more of drought would injure them badly.

C. E. N.

Ice.

The South Boston Ice Company, who now run the ice house at Great Pond, are sending off from this place about 700 tons a week.

The Pulpit.

Rev Mr. Tenney preached at the 2nd. Cong'l Church, last Sabbath.

Suspended.

Services have been suspended at the Universalist Church for four weeks, in order to give their pastor a vacation. Also at the Union Church all meetings but Sabbath School have closed for two weeks.

S. S. Concert.

A Sabbath School Concert was held at Union Cong'l Church, Sunday evening. The subject was "Trees of the Bible". There was some very good singing by a quartette, consisting of Miss Fannie Sprague, Mrs. S. Rogers, Mr. Dexter Pratt, Mr. Oran Bates.

Excursion.

It was stated in the GAZETTE last week that an excursion was proposed by the 2d Cong'l and Universalist Societies of this place. Such had been the intention, and such was the agreement between the two churches; but in consequence of a disagreement as to the place they should visit, the plan was broken up. The Universalists made an excursion on Tuesday to Downer Landing, and the Cong'lists on Wednesday to Nantasket Beach. Quite a number from the other society accompanied them and a very friendly and social spirit seems to prevail.

Death.

Mrs. Florence Reardon died Tuesday night, having been sick for some time.

Base Ball.

An effort is being made to raise a base ball club, to take the place of the Actives, who have contested and won so many games in the past. A number of the old club are members of this one.

HERMIT.

Sunday School Concert.

The Union Sunday School held its July concert last Sunday evening, the subject being "Bethesda." The exercises consisted of singing, prayer, scripture recitations, and addresses.

Yacht Races.

There has been two pleasant, if not exciting, regattas down the bay, during the past week. The first came off last Saturday afternoon, on the course of the Dorchester Yacht Club, and was won by the Folly, Capt. Sheppard, of East Braintree. There were five entries in the first class, which, with the fine breeze, promised to be quite interesting, but as the wind died away, and the tide began to show a strong ebb, there was more drifting than sailing. When under Fort Warren, the Folly dropped anchor and would, undoubtedly, have also dropped hooks and lines had they been at hand.

The Folly also appeared in the race off Mears' Hotel, last Monday. The Secret, Capt. Binney, won in that contest, so the Folly's crew contented themselves with the pleasant trip home, *etc.*

Cruise.

The yacht owners are contemplating a cruise along the coast. At last accounts no decision had been made.

Base Ball Notes.

The Tilden B. B. C. will play the Actives, of South Weymouth, at the Park, to-morrow afternoon.

There seems to be considerable misunderstanding regarding the game between the Tildens and Rangers last Saturday. There were but *four Tildens* in the game. The rest who played in that club *were not* members of it.

BOZ.

Statistical.

Elias Richards, Esq., of the Board of Assessors of Weymouth, has furnished us the following returns of the Board for 1877, for publication.

Ward.	Polls.	Children.	Horses.	Cows.	Houses.	Personal Estate.	Real Estate.	Tax.	Total Valuation.	Acres.	Rods.
1	467	269	123	107	249	212,283	557,583	10,557.83	769,866	1,457	71
2	818	603	186	122	500	370,115	896,136	17,464.89	1,266,251	1,276	35
3	620	459	170	83	366	381,005	822,339	16,282.70	1,203,344	998	06
4	411	309	146	121	275	139,262	378,177	7,290.77	517,438	1,969	03
5	512	320	209	97	306	340,605	732,281	14,437.69	1,072,886	2,417	130
Non Residents.			6	5	88	46,950	332,329	4,741.25	379,279	1,514	
1st Nat. Bank, So. Weymouth.						144,420	1,805.25	144,420			
Union Nat. Bank, Weymouth.						220,366	2,954.57	220,366			
	2,828	1,960	840	535	1,784	$1,855,006	$3,718,845	$75,334.95	$5,573,851	9,632	245

Engine House.

The committee on engine houses met last Tuesday at North Weymouth and staked out the lot for the house, which was thought to be in just the right place, as it was on a line with Mr. Burrell's building, which is about the size of the house to be put up.

Last Thursday Mr. Lemuel Torrey requested the committee to call another meeting, and desired that the house should be located at the rear of the lot, 40 feet back, as it injured the prospect from the house adjacent which he had built for his daughter's residence. The committee have not yet decided the matter. We learn that they contemplated reserving the rear part of the lot as a place for a lock-up, in case it should be wanted at some future day.

CANNED GOODS,
AT
Reduced Prices.

3 lb. Cans Pumpkin, 3 lb. Cans Squash, 2 lb. Cans Blueberries, 3 lb. Cans FreshApples — 13 cts. per Can, or 2 Cans 25 cents.
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NOTICE TO
TAX PAYERS.

ALL persons who voluntarily pay their whole tax on or before the 10th day of October next, will receive a discount of four per cent. And all taxes are due and payable on or before the 1st day of January next; and notice is hereby given that all taxes unpaid after the above dates will be committed to an officer for collection, and the legal fees and interest therefor will be added to the taxes of delinquents.

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To the Atlantic House, Nantasket, THURSDAY, July 26th. The usual general invitation is extended to all friends of the Old Glee Club. The fact that the Messrs. Damon will provide the dinner is sufficient guarantee of a good time. Dinner will be served at 3 o'clock.
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North Weymouth, July 14th, 1877.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF
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BY virtue of a license from the Probate Court for the County of Norfolk, will be sold at auction on the premises, on SATURDAY, the fourth day of August next, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title and interest of which CHARLOTTE W. BATES, late of Weymouth, in said County, widow, deceased, testate, was seized and possessed at the time of her death, in and to so much of the following described real estate as will raise the sum of four hundred and sixty-three and 50-100 dollars, for the payment of her debts and charges of administration, to wit:—A certain lot of land, with the dwelling house thereon, situated in said Weymouth, and bounded easterly by Pleasant Street; southerly and westerly by land now or late of the heirs of Joseph Hawes, dec'd, and northerly by land of Mrs. Sally Pratt; and containing 2200 square feet, more or less.

Terms stated at the time and place of sale.
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NORFOLK ss. Probate Court.
TO the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of CHARLOTTE W. BATES, late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased, Greeting:

Whereas BRADFORD HAWES, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell so much of the real estate of said deceased as will raise the sum of four hundred and sixty-three dollars and fifty cents, for the payment of debts and charges of administration.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third Wednesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this Citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper printed at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.
9 11 J. H. COBB, Register.

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BRAINTREE DEPARTMENT.

Base Ball.

A match game of Base Ball was played between Prospect Hill and Factory Hill Nines, being the second game of a series.

FACTORY HILL.—*Score.*

Players.	AtBat.	Runs.	1st B. Hits.	Put Outs.	Asst.	Err's.
Flood, C.,	5	3	1	8	1	3
Mullarkey, 3d B.	5	2	3	2	2	5
Hagney, P.,	5	2	0	0	1	0
McDowell, S.S.,	5	2	1	3	1	2
Ness, 1st B.,	5	0	2	8	0	1
Howard, C. F.,	5	0	0	1	1	3
Long, R. F.,	4	0	0	0	1	1
Carrigan, L. F.,	4	1	1	0	1	1
J. Dowd, 2d B.	4	0	0	5	2	3
Totals.	42	10	8	27	10	19

Two base hits, Mullarkey 3. Double Play, McDowell, 1.

PROSPECT HILL.—*Score.*

Players	AtBat.	Runs.	1st B. Hits.	Put Outs.	Asst.	Err's.
Griffin, C.,	5	3	0	14	1	6
Haley, P.,	5	1	1	1	2	4
Wm. Renn, 1st B.,	5	2	2	8	0	2
Hoggan, 2d B.,	6	2	1	2	1	1
M. Dowd, 3d B.,	4	1	1	0	1	0
Flanagan, S. S.,	5	1	1	2	2	1
Rudderham, R.F.,	5	2	2	0	0	0
Parker, C. F.,	5	2	0	0	0	0
P. Dowd, L. F.,	4	2	1	0	0	2
Totals	44	16	9	27	7	16

Struck out, Griffin, M. Dowd 2, Parker, Hagney 2, Ness, 2, Howard, Long 2, Corrigan, J. Dowd.

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Factory Hill.	1	0	0	0	0	3	5	0	1	—10
Prospect Hill.	2	4	0	0	1	0	3	4	2	—16

Scorer, J. Sharkey. *Umpire*, J. Dexhimer, Jr.

Renn, Rudderham and Mullarkey did the best batting, McDowell and Flanagan taking everything that came near them. The features of the game were the excellent pitching of Haley and a double play by McDowell.

Another game will be played in a week or two.

EAST BRAINTREE.

Accident.

Monday evening last two young men engaged in a game of wrestling, and Frank Wall was thrown. In falling his head came in contact with an iron post, whereby he received a wound about two or three inches in length.

Excursion.

Tuesday last, upon invitation of Union Lodge I. O. of G. T., 20 members of Faith Lodge of this village accompanied them on their annual excursion to Downer Landing. So far as heard from, the universal sentiment is that the party had a first rate time. They returned by the way of Quincy.

Sudden Death.

A cry of distress is alarming at any time and in any circumstances, but in the early morning, when the great babble of the world is hushed, it is more so. We must say that we experienced this feeling on Wednesday morning, on hearing a wail of calamity proceeding from a woman in the street, and getting up we ascertained that the woman was Mrs. James Carrigan, who lives on Factory Hill, and had on waking up about half past two, found her husband dead. She was then on her way to acquaint one of his brothers with the sad news, and we succeeded in gleaning the following particulars of the afflictive occurrence.

James Carrigan, who like a great many other unfortunate men, had his spells of intemperance, it seems had had one of these recently and was making an effort to recover himself. With a view to make the endeavor more successful he hired a team and went to Hingham on Tuesday afternoon, for the purpose of seeing Father Leddy and take the pledge; but Father Leddy not being at home, he returned to Weymouth Landing, and bought a small bottle of chloral, an opiate which appears is used quite freely in such cases of nervous excitement. On reaching his home he took one teaspoonful, and about ten o'clock he took another, from the effects of which he experienced considerable relief, so much so that between eleven and twelve he advised his wife to lie down on the lounge and go to sleep, as she had to go to work in the morning. She did so, and he threw himself on the bed, but about half-past two the following morning, when Mrs. Carrigan awoke and called to him she got no answer, and found he was dead and the bottle empty. The explanation which the friends give of this is that he having experienced some relief from the two doses, and not knowing the nature of the drug, and his wife being asleep he reached for the bottle and swallowed the remaining contents.

James Carrigan was born in the County of Tyrone, Ireland, and came to this country about 23 years ago. He enlisted in the 19th Mass. Infantry, under Col. Hinks, and was in active service during the whole of the war, being wounded in the breast at Coal Harbor. He was about 49 years of age, and leaves a wife but no children. He was a faithful and intrepid soldier, and in his ordinary course of life a quiet and inoffensive man, warm hearted and true as steel, and a man from whose lips we never heard an *oath* proceed.

Correction.

"Mac" says that in the notice of Mr. Edson's death last week there was a mistake. Mr. Edson was married March 14th, 1815, instead of March 14, 1845, as reported.

The best laid schemes, etc.

We sometimes think that there is a mistake in the prevalent opinion that "young and foolish, older and wiser," are synonymous terms. Youth no doubt sows its wild oats, but it seems to us that there are too many men of advanced life who sow no crop at all. In order to give point to these remarks, take as an illustration the following episode. On Sunday morning a party of four gentlemen, wearied with the monotony of their environments, arranged an excursion to Gloucester by the steamer "Stamford," which sails from Quincy Point. The weather was beautiful, the breezes refreshing, and the voyage delightful, and as they steamed past the lighthouse on Eastern Point, and Norman's Woe, the view of the city of Gloucester was magnificent in the extreme. On landing they betook themselves to the "Webster House," where everything was comfortable and nice, and "mine host" putting on his blandest smile, they thought that they had been expected, and preparations had been made accordingly. The society was congenial and colloquial, the viands were excellent, the *soda* was sparkling and no wonder that our excursionists, amid such enjoyments, should become oblivious and deport themselves like boys in a hay mow. But "time and tide wait for no man;" the hour approaches that "Tam must ride," and on consulting their "Genevas" they saw that they had been taking liberties with time, and hurrying off they found, to their horror, that they were just in time to be too late. The "Stamford" was under way, and so they were left lamenting. What they did say, in the circumstances, is not reportable, but in answer to the question of a bystander why they did not run faster, they informed him that they "run fast enough, but were too long in starting!" There they were, like four Robinson Crusoes, and what was to be done? To get home, although all important, was impossible for the time, and like philosophers they resolved to return to their hostelry and spend the night there. In the morning they were up by early dawn, and taking the *freight* train over the Eastern Railroad arrived home on Monday about noon. It is remarked that they have nothing to say about their trip to Gloucester, even to their wives, being as mute as if they had taken the "iron clad" oath.

MAC.

ROCKLAND.

Reform Club.

At the annual meeting of the Rockland Temperance Reform Club, held in the rooms of Messrs. C. L. Rice & Co. on Friday evening the 6th inst. the following officers were chosen:—President, J. P. Littlefield; Vice Presidents, J. K. Young, A. T. Foster, S. K. Doane, Geo. Merritt, Mrs. Betsey Hicks, Mrs. George F. Wheeler, Mrs. John Burrell; Secretary, N. A. Gurney; Treasurer, J. S. Smith; Chaplain, Rev. L. L. Fitz.

Savings Bank.

At the semi-annual meeting of the trustees of the Rockland Savings Bank, held in the banking rooms on the evening of the 3rd inst. the usual dividend of two and one half per cent was declared.

Fireman's Muster.

The King Philip Engine Company No. 1 has issued an invitation to a large number of the engine companies of this vicinity to join with them in a fireman's muster on the Agricultural Grounds at Weymouth, each to bear a part of the expense and reap a share of the profits.

I. O. O. F.

At the regular meeting of Standish Lodge I. O. O. F., held in their hall on the evening of the 11th inst., D. D. G. M. Wm. Tribou installed the following officers for the ensuing term:—N. G., Edwin W. Whiting; V. G., L. W. Easton; Sec., Geo. H. Hunt; Treas., L. W. Whiting; W., S. W. Rogers; C., J. Looby; O. G., H. W. Hibbard; I. G., H. M. Wade; R. S. N. G., J. B. Poole; L. S. N. G., Charles A. Townsend; R. S. V. G., C. K. Witherell; L. S. V. G., C. A. Hibbard; R. S. S., D. H. Everson; L. S. S., Wm. Coy; C., A. F. Kelley.

Base Ball.

The clerks of the North and South parts of the village, the line being drawn at the Post Office, played a game of ball on the King Phillips grounds on the afternoon of the 17th inst., resulting in favor of the North side by a score of 15 to 8.

Knights of Honor.

A lodge of Knights of Honor was organized in this village on the evening of the 16th inst. The lodge consists of twenty-three members, including many of the most prominent citizens.

Business.

Messrs. Wm. E. Putnam & Co. of North Abington have leased the building on Pacific St., recently occupied by Messrs. Loud and Poole, and will have their boots and shoes made there under the superintendance of J. Q. Ford.

MAGNUS.

ABINGTON.

Picnic.

The Congregational, Universalist and New Church societies united in a picnic at Island Grove, Wednesday afternoon. Martland's Brockton Band was present and for four hours entertained the company with some very choice selections of music. Among the attractions were the boating, swings, etc. At half past five, supper was served and in the twilight the company adjourned, welll pleased with this first union picnic and hoping at some future time it might be repeated.

Base Ball.

The record of the Bonanza B. B. C. of this place is as follows:

May 26, Braintrees 22, Bonanzas 14.

June 23, King Phillips, 17, Bonanzas 7.

June 30, Bonanzas 17, Actives, (South Abington) 9.

July 7, Bonanzas 18, Howards (Brockton) 14.

PARTRIDGE.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for August is a brilliant summer Number, containing one hundred and twenty-six engravings, and an unusual variety of novel and entertaining reading matter. The Number has superbly illustrated papers on the White Mountains; The Beautiful Old Port of Castine and the Camden Hills; "The Golden Treasures of Kurinm;" "The Poet Keats;" "Florida Lillies;" "Pan Fish Angling;" "Hints for Practical Trout-Fishing;" "The Flying Proa," describing a sail boat that will not capsize. There are three illustrated poems—"Friend Brook;" The Jeet Black Groom;" "Inside Plum Island." EDWARD EVERETT HALE contributes a poem on "The Old South Meeting-House," and Sidney Lanier one entitled "The Waving of the Corn." Dr. JOHN W. DRAPER contributes a paper, with fifteen illustrations, on the Diffraction Spectrum, and there is a thrilling story of Mahomet's career.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

The Woman's Christian Union

Of North Weymouth held a public meeting in the Pilgrim Church, Wedneseay evening, July 18, at which the Union and Reform Club of East Weymouth were fully represented. Rev. Messrs. Hall, Chapin, and Eldridge were the invited speakers. The two latter were not able to be present, but Mr. Hall gave a fine and spirited address, in which he pictured the effects of intoxicants upon men—turning the loving father into a murderer of his own children; the fond husband to a mangler of his wife, and even the loving son into a killer of his mother; that always, in some form, in every country, some exciter of the brain would thus destroy manhood. Against this great evil it was found that nothing but total abstinence could avail. It was utter folly to ask a man of appetite to make a sacrifice which those who professed to be temperate could not also make; and those who could not make a sacrifice of so little a thing as cider and beer, were not temperance people.

Members of the Reform Club followed with exceedingly interesting remarks, and Rev Messrs. Dodson and Terry also addressed the meeting with earnest pleas in behalf of the cause. The exercises were alternated with fine singing, the organ being played by Mr. J. W. Bartlett.

M. E. B. T.

W. C. T. U.

At the annual meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of East Weymouth, June 19, the Secretary presented a report of the transactions of the Union, which states that 27 meetings have been held the past year, with an average attendance of 20, the largest number present at any one meeting being 46. June 17 of last year the Union united with other organizations in the celebration at Shaw's Grove; July 18 a sociable was held for the benefit of the Union; Sept. 22 a grand temperance rally was held in the M. E. Church; Oct. 17 a levee took place in the Reform Club rooms; Dec. 15 the Union celebrated its eighth anniversary in the M. E. Church; Feb. 3 a collation was served to the Christian Helpers in the rooms; a temperance rally was held in the M. E. vestry during the same month; March 22 the Union attended the grand rally in Tremont Temple, Boston; April 11 gave Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Gracey a parting reception; April 17-18 the Union held its annual fair; May 24 the first anniversary of the opening of the reading room was celebrated.

The report says the condition of the Union is encouraging, though there has been no great increase of membership. Yet "we cannot doubt the final success of our cause; we cannot expect that our career will be one of rapid and unwavering prosperity; we must expect embarrassments and disappointment; but as temperance women it is our duty and life-work to fight on until our principles are triumphant, and let us never forget it is God alone who giveth us the victory.

The election of officers of the Union for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. Hall.

Vice Presidents—Mrs. Eldredge, Mrs. Cyrus Washburn, Mrs. Chapin.

Sec'y—Mrs. E. G. Smith.

Cor. Sec'y—Mrs. Carrie French.

Treas.—Mrs. Joseph Cushing.

Managers—Mrs. D. Tirrill, Mrs. Jacob Dizer, Mrs. Joseph Snerman, Mrs. Z. L. Bicknell, Mrs. Henry Austin Tirrell, Mrs. Joseph Stevens, Mrs. Stephen Cain, Jr., Mrs. Daniel Bates, Mrs. John Nelson, Mrs. S. Marden, Mrs. David Tucker, Mrs. John P. Lovell, Mrs. Richard Merchant.

MURDER WILL OUT.

A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to the druggist, Alfred Wyman, Weymouth Landing, and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it. Sample bottles 10 cents.

Marriages and Deaths.

DIED.

In Boston, July 18, MRS. ELIZA C. LINTON, aged 57 years, 6 months. Funeral services at the Universalist Church, Weymouth, Saturday, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

In South Weymouth, July 17, FLORANCE REARDON, aged 40 years, 4 months, 1 day.

In Weymouth, July 17, ELLEN, wife of Michael Wade, aged 70 years.

In East Weymouth, July 13, of consumption, Mr. CHARLES CAMPBELL, aged 51.

In Braintree, July 18th, Mr. JAMES CORRIGAN, aged 49.

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The Best Soap ever Introduced for Cleaning and Polishing Tin, Copper, Metals, Knives and Forks. — TRADE MARK — For Cleansing and Restoring Paint. it has no equal in the Market.
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A Full Stock of the Purest
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ALWAYS ON HAND.
ALSO, A FINE ASSORTMENT OF
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PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS
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The never failing remedy for
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USE TOWNSEND'S
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Will refund the price to every person who says it is not the BEST AND CHEAPEST Extract of Ginger they ever bought.
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STILL LOWER!
WIRE CLOTH
For Window and Door Screens,
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WEYMOUTH LANDING,
For six cents per foot.
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Civil Engineer and Surveyor.
Surveys for Water Works, Drainage, Roads; land judiciously divided into lots for sale. For any information, address
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FLOWER POTS.
REMEMBER those nice Flower Pots, for sale at the New Stove Store, by JOSEPH I. BATES.
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NOTICE TO ROAD BUILDERS.
SEALED Proposals for building the widenings of Middle St., in the town of Weymouth, will be received at the office of the Selectmen of said town, until the 30th day of JULY inst., at 3 o'clock P. M. Specifications may be seen with T. H. Humphrey. The selectmen reserve the right to reject any and all proposals which may be received.
JOHN W. BARTLETT, NOAH VINING, T. H. HUMPHREY, WILLIAM NASH, C. S. WILLIAMS, } Selectmen of Weymouth.
Weymouth, July 18, 1877. 12 13

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.
THE Assessors of the Town of Weymouth hereby give notice that they have delivered to ORAN WHITE, Collector of Taxes, a correct list of the taxes, together with a warrant in due form of law for collecting the same, and that by a vote of the Town, to all persons who shall voluntarily pay the Collector their *whole* tax, on or before the 10th day of OCTOBER next, a discount of four per cent. will be made on the amount of their taxes.
ELIAS RICHARDS, NOAH VINING, W. W. RAYMOND, ORAN WHITE, C. T. ROBBINS, } Assessors of Weymouth.
Weymouth, July 9th, 1877.

Administrator's Sale.
WILL be sold by order of the Probate Court, at Public Auction, on the premises, on SATURDAY, 28th inst., at one o'clock P. M., all the Real Estate of SIMEON SMITH, late of Weymouth, deceased, to pay the just debts of said Smith, with incidental charges.
Said Real Estate consists of about one-fourth of an acre of Land, with a Dwelling-House and Barn standing thereon, situated on an Avenue leading out of Pond Street, near the residence of Edwin Northey, of Weymouth, and near the South Weymouth Depot.
ADSON H. BELCHER, Adm'r.
Weymouth, July 10, 1877. 11 13

Soft Rubber Urinals.
Soft and Hard Rubber Bed Pans,
A PRACTICAL INVENTION,
RELIEF FOR THE SUFFERING,
SOMETHING NEW AND CONVENIENT,
THESE article are for the use and comfort of both sexes; can be used upon all occasions;—during long marches, in dense crowds, &c. &c. They are a comfort to infants, and a relief to Mothers.
MRS. DR. TUCK
IS SOLE AGENT FOR NEW ENGLAND,
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Send stamp for Circulars. 6tf

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SCISSORS AND SHEARS sharpened in the best manner, at
L. O. CROCKER'S
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Botanic Bitters
THE GREATEST SPRING AND SUMMER
TONIC
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These Bitters are the most popular medicine ever offered for the cure of
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BILIOUSNESS,
COLIC,
DIARRHŒA,
FEEBLE APPETITE,
And all sickness arising from the STOMACH.
AS A
BLOOD PURIFIER
THEY ARE UNEQUALLED.
Thousands who have been benefited by them testify to their worth. For Sale Everywhere.
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Photographers,
Having completed the Refurnishing of their
PHOTOGRAPH ROOMS
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Are now prepared to furnish all kinds of first-class Pictures, including the new style Cabinet, with accessories.
We have great success with Pictures of
BABIES AND LITTLE CHILDREN,
And pay particular attention to this branch of business.
COPYING.
Persons having old Pictures which they wish to have copied, can have the work done in the very best manner and with promptness.
Please call and examine specimens.
Pepectfully yours,
RAND & LATTO.

GRASS SEEDS.
JUST RECEIVED, A FRESH SUPPLY OF
Herds Crass,
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Persons in want of Grass Seeds will find it to their advantage to give us a call.
A. J. BATES & CO.,
East Braintree.
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FULL line of Agricultural Implements for sale at very low prices by S. W. PRATT.

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Special Agent for the sale of the
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JUST received, a full stock of Enameled Kettles, Sauce Pans, Wash Bowls, &c., direct from the manufacturers, which will be sold much cheaper than at any other place. These goods are the only safe ones to use for cooking purposes.
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For sale at half price.
THE subscriber now offers for sale TEN PEWS IN THE FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH at Weymouth Landing, for one half of the original valuation for the whole lot.
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Established 1858.
ON opening the trade for the year 1877, we make the following announcement;

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At Low Prices.
Parties about building will find it for their inteest to inspect this stock. On exhibition at Warerooms the largest stock of
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that can be shown in this section of the country, manufactured the past season, of Italian and the beautiful Tennessee Marbles, from my own original designs, embracing more than two hundred different patterns.
Buying my Marble, as I do, right from the ships in which it is brought from Italy, *and for cash*, and having no middle profits to pay, and having all the improved machinery for sawing and finishing, I have unequalled facilities for producing first-class work at the lowest prices, which will be sold as low as first-class work can be afforded.
Parties wishing to consult in regard to work, by sending me a postal card will be called on by Mr. WM. H. WILD, my gentlemanly agent, and no one need feel under any obligations to buy, unless perfectly satisfied with styles and prices.
FRED. HANSON,
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25 per cent. saved by buying direct of the Manufacturers,
JOHN & JAMES DOBSON,
PROPRIETORS OF THE FALLS OF SCHUYLKILL CARPET MILLS.
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100 PATTERS, 300 SHADING. Suitable for Rooms, Halls and Stairs.
$1.50. Usual price $2.00.
ROYAL VELVETS, $1.75.
Usual price $2.50.
TAPESTRY BRUSSELS, $1.10.
Usual Price $1.30.
Extra Superfines, 95c. Usual Price $1.15. | Superfines, 85c. Usual Price $1.00.
A choice selection of the above, exquisitely colored, pecnliarly adapted to the trade of this city. ONE PXICE ONLY. Selling Carpets made by us, all intermediate profit is saved in buying direct. Hall and Church Carpets a specialty. Goods guaranteed as represented, or the money refunded.
PECIAL LINE OF TAPESTRY at $1.00. Samples sent by mail, if desired.

B. SHURTLEFF,
HAS just opened, at his NEW SHOP ON BROAD STREET, EAST WEYMOUTH, A
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Where can be found MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S
FINE BOOTS AND SHOES
Also, Boots and Shoes made to order. Repairing a Specialty.
CHEAP FOR CASH.

Wessagusset House,
WEYMOUTH LANDING.
THE subscriber will open his new Hotel at Weymouth Landing, near the Depot, on the 17th of June, for the accommodation of the public, and respectfully solicits their patronage. The house has been fitted and furnished throughout with new furniture, bedding and carpets, and every effort will be made to provide for the comfort of guests.
A Restaurant is connected with the house, where refreshments can be obtained at all hours of the day or night.
EXTENSIVE STABLING FACILITIES will also be furnished, with accommodation for one hundred horses.
An elegant YACHT has been engaged for the season, under the charge of an experienced skipper, and parties desiring a pleasant sail down the River can be accommodated at short notice.
D. WHITE,
Weymouth, June 1st, 1877. 5tf

FOR SALE, CHEAP.
THE subscriber now offers for sale his block of four
DWELLING HOUSES,
on Rockville, Weymouth Landing. These houses are two stories high, all in one block, and are convenient for small families, were painted and repaired during the past year and are now in good order.
The location one of the best in town to let.
The price will be made low and the terms easy.
Also, TWO WOOD LOTS in South Weymouth.
JOHN O. FOYE.
June 1st, 1877. 5tf

CHANGE OF BASE!
New Shop! New Business!
THE subscriber would inform his many friends and the public, that on and after FEBRUARY 8, 1877, he may be found at his
NEW SHOP ON BROAD STREET.
Having secured the services of a
First Class Carriage Builder,
I am prepared to fill all orders for
REPAIRING AND NEW WORK,
AT SHORT NOTICE & REASONABLE RATES.
Neatness! Cheapness! Dispatch!
IS OUR MOTTO; and by close attention to business we hope to receive a share of the public favor
I have also a ROOM OVER MY SHOP, 22x24 feet, 9 feet high, which will be let at moderate rent.
WALDO TURNER.
EAST WEYMOUTH, Jan. 26, 1877.

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MADE AND REPAIRED
in the most satisfactory manner, by
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WASHINGTON SQUARE, WEYMOUTH LANDING,
Manufacturers' Jobbing a Specialty.

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VEGETABLE MEDICINES
ARE THE ONLY REMEDIES THAT WILL CUREE CHONIC DISEASES.
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Dr. Spear's patients may be met in nearly every town in New England, some of twenty-five years ago; others all the way down to the present time, when he has probably more people under treatment than any other doctor in America.
DR. SPEAR may be consulted on ALL Diseases, free of charge; also by letter, enclose a stamp.
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IS ELECTRICITY. It causes the BLOOD to circulate, invigorates the SYSTEM, arouses the LIVER, RELIEVES CONSTIPATION and prevents Paralysis, that dreaded enemy.
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As an Electric Physician makes PILES, NERVOUS, UTERINE and KIDNEY diseases specialties. She calls the attention of those suffering from Inflammation and Irritation of the Kidneys and Bladder, Incontinence of Urine, to her
Hygienic Compound,
She now gives to the public. Having used it successfully during ten years' practice, she knows whereof she speaks, and will EVERY ONE who uses it as directed.
All orders must be sent to her office, where also may be found Ladies' Abdominal Supporters, (her invention,) Elastic Bands and Goods, Urinals for both sexes, Syringes. Office, 28 WINTER ST. Room 16, BOSTON, MASS. Send for Circulars

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Now is the time for those who want Fresh Goods.
CONSTANTLY ON HAND A CHOICE LOT OF
Beef, Pork, Mutton,
Lard, Hams,
Butter, Cheese,
Turkeys, Chickens,
Vegetables, Fruit,
Beans, &c.
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DR. W. C. B. FIFIELD
HAS TAKEN AN OFFICE AT
No. 4 PARK SQUARE, BOSTON,
OPPOSITE PROVIDENCE DEPOT,
where he may be found daily, from 1 to 3 o'clock PM.
Dr. Fifield's residence is still at Harrison Square. 21y

Custom Tailoring.
THE subscriber begs leave to announce to the public that he has opened a
Line of Spring Goods,
FOR
Gentlemen's Wear,
and keeps constantly on hand a fine assortment of
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in the line of BROADCLOTHS, CASSIMERES, DOESKINS, &c. Every description of TRIMMINGS of the best quality, constantly on hand.
The people of Weymouth, Braintree, Hingham, Randolph, Stoughton and Brockton, are invited to call, as my prices will be found as low, if not lower, than at any other establishment. Goods will be made up by first-class workmen, in the most artistic style.
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SUCCESSOR TO J. CALLAHAN,
HORSE-SHOEING,
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SHOP CORNER OF WASHINGTON & COMMON STS.,
Weymouth Landing.
Particular attention paid to Overreaching and Interfering Horses. 2 15

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EMPIRE Clothes Wringer, the only Wringer that will not get out of repair in a short time.
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Sewing Machines.
Geo. H. Cunningham,
Middle Street, EAST WEYMOUTH,
Agent for the celebrated Howe Sewing Machines, is prepared to supply
Manufacturers and Families,
with machines of every style of finish, on easy terms.
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MEETINGS OF THE
Selectmen & Overseers of Poor.
THE Selectmen of Weymouth will be in session at the Town House, every Monday during the municipal year, from two to five o'clock P. M.; and the Overseers of the Poor will meet at the Alms House on the second Tuesday of each month, at two o'clock P. M.
JOHN W. BARTLETT, NOAH VINING, T. H. HUMPHREY, WILLIAM NASH, C. S. WILLIAMS, } SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR OF WEYMOUTH.
Weymouth, March 6, 1877.

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Bryant & Stratton
COMMERCIAL SCHOOL,
BOSTON.
Having greater facilities and enjoying a more extensive patronage than any similar institution in the United States, offers superior advantages for requiring a thorough
COMMERCIAL EDUCATION.
Parents contemplating placing their children in this school are notified that
ARRANGEMENTS
Are being made for the reception of an unusually large number of new pupils at the beginning of the
SPRING TERM, APRIL 2d,
And application for admission at that time should be made without delay.
Interviews may be had with the Principal DAILY, at the School Building, from 9 till 2. Catalogue of teachers and pupils, and prospectus of study post free, by addressing
H. E. HIBBARD, 608 WASHINGTON STREET.

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THE RISING SUN STOVE POLISH

FOR SALE,
Two Story House, on Quincy Avenue, East Braintree.
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Apply to EBEN DENTON,
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Boarding, Baiting and Sale
STABLE,
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Just arrived, a Car load of COUNTRY HORSES. 46m3

GEO. E. THOMPSON,
Practical Engraver.
DOOR PLATES, DOG COLLARS, and all kinds of ENGRAVING, done at short notice and at prices to suit the times.
Residence, Mount Pleasant,
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Orders left at E. H. Frary's Jewelry Store will receive prompt attontion.
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FIRE INSURANCE.
THE subscriber thanks his friends for their patronage in the line of Insurance against loss by fire. He is an authorized Agent for the
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Dorchester Mutual, Citizens Mutual,
AND THE FOLLOWING NAMED STOCK COMPANIES:
Shoe and Leather, and Prescott, of Boston, Connecticut, of Hartford, and Fire Association of Philadelphia.
He will be happy to obtain Insurance upon any property in this region,
At the Lowest Rates.
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NORTH WEYMOUTH.
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Nov. 17, 1876. 30y

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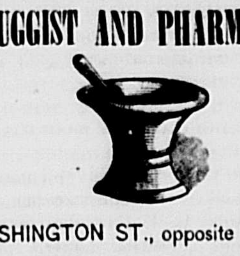

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STRICT PERSONAL ATTENTION PAID TO ALL BRANCHES OF DRUG BUSINESS.
Particular attention to preparing PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS from the best materials.
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NEW stock of Table Cutlery at prices that defy competition, by S. W. PRATT.

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WE have been in business at the New Stove Store three years, and have never disappointed man, woman, or child. Please don't engage us to do a job unless you expect us to be on time, every time. 5tf JOSEPH I. BATES.

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CLOTHES AND MARKET BASKETS for sale cheap at the New Stove Store. See the improved
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DARLING RANGE
with all the improvements of a high priced Range, for only $25.00.
But please don't deal with us unless you expect us to be prompt, and do as we promise every time.
5ts JOSEPH I. BATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,
THAT the subscriber has been duly appointed Executrix of the Will of LIVIA D. WILD, late of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk, widow, deceased, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
LIVIA A. WILD, Executrix.
Braintree, June 13, 1877. 912

THOMAS A. BOYLE,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Confectioner,
BROAD STREET,
EAST WEYMOUTH.
I AM NOW PREPARED TO FURNISH PARTIES WITH
Ice Cream and Confectionery
OF BEST QUALITY, AND AT THE LOWEST PRICES.
ICE CREAM AND REFRESHMENT ROOMS are connected with my establishment, for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen. 6tf

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THE celebrated Cucumber Wood Pumps, for sale by S. W. PRATT.

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REPAIRING done in the best manner, and at SHORT NOTICE.
I make a WHEEL, which I will warrant to
Give Perfect Satisfaction.
MACHINE WHEELS furnished as desired.
WEYMOUTH LANDING.
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ICE!
THE Subscribers, grateful for past patronage, will continue to deliver ICE on their former routes, commencing May 21st, and continuing as long as customers wish, at the following rates:
FAMILIES, 25 cents per hundred lbs.
STORES &c., OVER $25, 18 cents per hundred lbs.
" " under " 20 " " "
Customers wishing Ice before that time, by notifying us by mail or otherwise, will receive prompt attention.
Families commencing on or after July 1, will be charged 30 cents per 100 lbs.
Bills payable monthly.
A. & C. HOLLIS.
South Weymouth, May 1st, 1877. 1 13

John Phillips,
FORMERLY OF
Philipps, Shuman, & Co.
Takes pleasure in informing the public and his friends, that he has leased the well known premises formerly occupied by G. H. LANE & Co.,
31 and 32
Dock Square,
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for the purpose of conducting the manufacture and sale of
MEN'S,
BOYS
AND
Children's
CLOTHING.
Twenty years experience, both in wholesale and retail, in the above line, justifies me in assuring the public that every effort on my part will be made to meet their wants.
I will offer the following as a specialty:
200 prs.
MEN'S
Working Pants
at $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00.
200
Men's Sack Suits,
$5.00, $6.00, $7.00 and $8.00.
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Men's Worsted
FROCKS AND VESTS,
for $10.00, 12.00, and 14.00.
These goods are imported, well made and trimmed.
100 Men's All Wool
CASSIMERE
PANTS!
both of American and Foreign fabric, for $2.00, $3.00 and $4.00.
ALSO,
25
Boys School Suits,
at $3.50.
200 Boys School Pants,
at $5.00.
500
CHILDREN'S
SUITS,
(from 3 to 9,) $2.50, $3.50 and 4.50.
In addition to the above we have just received a LARGE AND COMPLETE LINE OF
MIDDLESEX
Blue Flannel Suits,
Color warranted pure indigo, which we will offer lower than any house in Boston. Our line of Spring Suitings is now complete, and we ask your kind inspection before purchasing elsewhere.
In addition to the above, I shall at all times offer a stock of
Men's, Youth's,
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CLOTHING
EQUAL TO
ANY HOUSE
IN THE CITY!
John Phillips,
FORMERLY OF
Philipps, Shuman & Co.
31 & 32 Dock Square,
BOSTON.
A. H. TIRRELL, of Weymouth, is connected with this house, and will be happy to receive his friends who may be in want of Clothing.

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Permanently Cured—no humbug—by one month's usage of Dr. Goulard's Celebrated Infallible Fit Powders. To convince sufferers that these powders will do all we claim for them, we will send them by mail, post paid, a free Trial box. As Dr. Goulard is the only physican that has ever made this disease a special study, and as to our knowledge thousands have been permanently cured by the use of these Powders, we will guarantee a permanent cure in every case, or refund you all money expended. All sufferers should give these Powders an early trial, and be convinced of their curative powers.
Price, for a large box, $3.00, or four boxes for $10.00, sent by mail to any part of United States or Canada on receipt of price or by express, C. O. D.
Address,
ASH & ROBBINS,
360 FULTON STREET, BROOKLYN, N. Y

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NOW IS YOUR TIME TO HAVE YOUR
CLOTHING
CUSTOM MADE!
ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
Particular attention given to
CUTTING, TURNING, ALTERING, CLEANSING AND BINDING.
MATTHEW J. RYAN,
WASHINGTON SQUARE,
OVER C. S. WILLIAMS' DRY GOODS STORE,
WEYMOUTH LANDING.
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The Weymouth Gazette.

C. G. EASTERBROOK, EDITOR.

This local paper has an extensive circulation in surrounding towns, and as an advertising medium has no superior in this vicinity.

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THE FLORIDA COAST.

Dr. Wittfield was the earliest settler of Merritt's Island, Fla. The island lies between Banana and Indian rivers, within range of Canaveral Light. It is about thirty miles long, and from one yard to twelve miles wide. Forests of Georgia pines, shading a carpet of palmetto scrub and hammocks choked with tropical thickets are being cleared up by new settlers. Great cacti, Spanish bayonets, and century plants dot its shores, and tall cabbage palmettoes nod their heads in its cool breezes. Ten years ago it was one of the best hunting grounds in the State. Bear, tiger cats, and deer filled its forests, clouds of ducks and English snipe hung over its marshes, and regiments of roseate curlews and snowy herons paraded its sands. It was the home of the otter and the noisy parroquet. Now the Government land is all taken up, and a hundred families are budding orange groves or planting sugar cane. They have all come within the past four years.

The Doctor settled the highest point of the island, twelve miles north of Eau Gallie and eighteen miles in a direct line from Cape Canaveral. His house crowns a sightly hill, overlooking the broad Banana river on the east, and the Indian river on the west. The roar of the ocean is heard, but its waves are hidden by a thin rim of vegetation lining the opposite shore, four miles away.

The masts of vessels and smoke stacks of steamers, however, are plainly seen from the Doctor's breezy habitation. Nine years ago he took his wife and children to this lovely and lonely spot. He wove a hut from palmetto palms, hung his mosquito bars from its roof, enlarged his clearing, and planted sugar cane and garden vegetables. An orange grove was also started. The family, of course, suffered untold annoyances. They were overrun by fleas and roaches, driven to cover by mosquitoes, buzzed by horse and deer flies, and stung by scorpions. It was thirty miles by water to the nearest post office, and twelve ditto to the next neighbor. Should one of them die, there were not enough boards on the place to patch up a coffin. All the planting was done by hand. Deer browsed cabbage plants and potato vines, and robbed the garden with impunity. Bears entered the sugar field and coolly helped themselves. One night the Doctor caught one in a V trap, but it was a sore catch. Bruin rolled toward all points of the compass in an effort to escape, and crushed an acre of cane. Despite these drawbacks, the garden turned out a bountiful supply of vegetables, but there was no market for the surplus, and truck of great value was left to rot. An extraordinary crop of sugar cane covered the ground, but without a horse and a mill it was nearly useless. The Doctor made a hand mill, and secured twenty or more gallons of syrup for family use. This was packed away in kegs and jugs; but bright black bugs bored the kegs, and kept the Doctor's wife, as well as the molasses, in a continual ferment.

Morning, noon, and night the Doctor toiled for months, until his clearing was enclosed by a substantial fence. Then a party of Tiger Tail's Seminoles came to the island to hunt the red deer. They left a blazing camp fire, the woods became a sheet of flame, and the Doctor's fence was reduced to charcoal. On the night of August 17, 1871, a low moan rose from the ocean. Fitful gusts swept over Banana river. Rain fell in torrents. A hurricane was at hand. Tall palmetto trees hummed with pain. The sky became black as ink, and Canaveral light was blotted out. The gale swept over the island with frightful velocity. The roaring of the surf, howling of the wind, and soughing of limbs terrified the Doctor's little family. They fled for safety to a rough enclosure of logs near the hut. And just in time; for the hurricane licked up the little house in a breath, and sifted its furniture through the tops of trees a mile away. Throughout this fearful night the Doctor and his family were crouched in the log enclosure, drenched to the skin and listening to the raging storm. They could strike no light, and the cries of the children could not be heard. While hoping for the best they feared the worst. The wind tore through the interstices between the logs, and threatened to raze the whole structure. Either broken limbs or death would surely follow. Daylight came, but the gale did not abate. A harrowing spectacle met their eyes. The little plantation was in ruins. The house, beds, and furniture had disappeared, and a broken stove was all that was left. Young orange trees were wiped out, and the field of sugar cane was as flat as a sheet of zinc.

A FABLE.

A young cock and a hen were speaking about the size of eggs. Said the cock:

"I once laid an egg—"

"Oh! you did!" interrupted the hen, with a derisive cackle. "Pray, how did you manage it."

The cock felt injured in his self esteem, and, turning his back on the hen, addressed himself to a brood of young chickens:

"I once laid an egg—"

The chickens chirped incredulously and passed on. The insulted bird reddened in the wattles with indignation, and strutting up to to the patriarch of the entire barnyard, repeated the assertion. The patriarch nodded gravely, as if the feat was an every-day affair, and the other continued:

"I once laid an egg alongside a watermelon, and compared the two. The vegetable was considerably the larger."

This fable is intended to show the absurdity of not hearing all a man has to say before you reply.

— A veteran shopkeeper says that although his clerks are very talkative during the day, they are always ready to shut up at night.

COMMERCE OF THE WORLD.

France exports wines, brandies, silks, fancy articles, furniture, jewelry, clocks, watches, paper, perfumery, and fancy goods generally.

Italy exports corn, oil, flax, flour, wines, essences, dyestuffs, drugs, fine marble, soap, paintings, engravings, molasses and salt.

Prussia exports linen, woolens, zinc, articles of iron, copper and brass, indigo, wax, hams, musical instruments, tobacco, wines and porcelain.

Germany exports wool, woolen goods, linens, rags, corn, timber, iron, lead, tin, flax, hemp, wines, wax, tallow and cattle.

Austria exports minerals, raw and manufactured silk thread, glass, wax, tar, nutgall, wine, honey and mathematical instruments.

England exports cottons, woolens, glass, hardware, earthenware, cutlery, iron, metallic wares, salt, coal, watches, tin, silks and linens.

Russia exports tallow, flax, hemp, flour, iron, linseed, lard, hides, wax, duck, cordage, bristles, fur and potash.

Spain exports wines, brandies, iron, fresh and dried fruits, quicksilver, sulphur, salt, cork, saffron, anchovies, silks and woolens.

China exports tea, rhubarb, musk, ginger, borax, zinc, silks, cassia, filligree work, ivory ware, lacquered ware and porcelain.

Turkey exports opium, silks, drugs, gums, dried fruits, tobacco, wines, camel's hair, carpets, shawls, camlets and morocco.

Hindostan exports gold and silver, cochineal, indigo, sarsaparilla, vanilla, jalap, fustic, Campeachy wood, pimento, drugs and dyestuffs.

Brazil exports coffee, indigo, sugar, rice, hides, dried meats, tallow, gold, diamonds and other stones, gums, mahogany and India-rubber.

The West Indies export sugar, molasses, rum, tobacco, cigars, mahogany, dyewood, coffee, pimento, fresh fruits and preserves, wax, ginger and other spices.

East India exports cloves, nutmegs, mace, pepper, rice, indigo, gold dust, camphor, benzine, sulphur, ivory, rattans, sandal-wood, zinc and nuts.

The United States exports principally agricultural produce, tobacco, cotton, flour, provisions of all kinds, lumber, turpentine, agricultural implements, sewing machines, cotton goods, cutlery, builders' hardware, furniture, locomotives, munitions of war, gold silver, quicksilver, etc.

THE DELIGHTS OF BASE BALL.

The only son of a widowed mother is member of an amateur base ball club. On Saturday he had his hair cut and oiled, and accoutred himself for the fray, and his fond mother tied one of her best laced trimmed handkerchiefs around his throat, and put a clean handkerchief, with some cologne on it, in his belt, and kissed him, and he went. About quarter past 7 he returned—that is, the most of him—and the following conversation ensued;

"My son, where is the lace handkerchief you had round your neck?"

"Here, ma, tied round this finger.—I picked up a daisy cutter. I think the finger is only out of joint, not broken."

"My son, why do you not speak plainer. Surely, you have not been drinking?"

"No, ma, but in the latter half of the seventh inning our catcher's hands gave out, and I went behind, and I stopped a foul tip with my teeth, that is all."

"My son, your nice new uniform is blooded in front. What can you have been doing?"

"Nothing, ma, only I was trying to scoop in a high one at third, and the sun got in my eyes, and I muffed it, and the ball came on my nose, but I put it over to first and got him out."

"My son, your white flannel pants are all green behind."

"That, ma, was in the third inning when I tried to steal to second, and had to throw myself down and slide in. I got the base anyhow, and came in on a two-baser to left field."

"Alas, my son, I fear that you have had an unpleasant day. Let me send for a surgeon and a dentist, and get some arnica, ice water, lint, raw beefsteak, splints, sticking-plaster, vinegar and brown paper, Radway's Ready Relief, Perry Davis' Pain Killer, compresses, slings, leeches, clean cloths, opodeldoc, horse liniment, and in a few days you will not know yourself."

A REMARKABLE INVENTION.

Another invention pertaining to electricity, quite as wonderful as the telephone, though, perhaps, less calculated to attract popular notice, has recently been secured by a patent in the United States to a Swedish inventor. The apparatus is an automatic railway signal, which enables the station officials to know the precise position of any train at any time; it gives sound signals to the engineer, and at the station before the trains enter, thus enabling switches to be cleared and arranged in time to prevent accident. If two trains approach each other, whether running in the same or opposite directions, the engineers of both trains receive signals in time to prevent collision, and the station people are at the same time automatically informed of the position of both trains. Any train may, by stopping at certain points of the road where "contracts" are arranged, open telegraphic communication with the stations at both ends of the route, and two trains may in the same manner telegraph to each other. A complete record is automatically kept at each station of the speed of each train and of the exact time it enters or leaves the station. Stop signals may be sent at any time from the stations to any train while moving. The apparatus may be arranged to send stop or danger signals to trains approaching swinging bridges which are not properly fastened. When this invention shall have been generally introduced, railway accidents will be almost impossible.

— It is said that Jefferson Davis, in his forthcoming book, will assail Gen. Joe Johnson with severity, and hold him responsible for the failure of the Confederates to seize Washington after their victory at Bull Run.

EXPENSIVE FARMING.

Gough lectures five times a week, his fee being $200. He has a farm in Worcester, which at one time contained 175 acres. He has no children, but his expenses are very heavy, and, to bring matters in a snug shape, he sold a part of his land and reduced his farm to 125 acres, which is as extensive as his income will admit. A few years ago his wife, who was a Yankee girl, undertook to raise fancy fowls, which some say are very profitable. She got up a very nice variety, and at a very reasonable expense, for the Shanghais did not cost more than $75 a pair. The Cochin Chinas were a little cheaper, and the bantams could be rated from $25 to $40. After stocking the place with these rare birds, Gough, it is said, found that if they were to be kept up he would "be obliged" to lecture on Sundays as well as week days to make a living. When it costs $15 to winter a chicken a man needs a good income. The system was, therefore, changed: the fowls were abolished, and regular crops were tried with decided success. As long as Gough's rye does not cost more than $5 per bushel, and the other crops are kept at an equally reduced rate, his present income will enable him to live in a very decent manner. There is nothing like a farming life for men who have plenty of money.

MORE LIGHT.

It is custom to rail a good deal at the New England climate; and it cannot be denied that it is a harsh one. But much is charged to the Atlantic Ocean which does not rightfully lie at its door. No doubt the statistics show that the per centage of consumption in New England States is alarmingly large, and this is especially true of the Connecticut River towns in Massachusetts. But these are the towns in which the evil of damp, sunless houses is seen at its worst. If only a good apostle of sunshine would arise, gird up his loins, and go patiently from town to town, reason with the fathers, and adjure the mothers, and convince everybody, until, from Maine to New York, blinds were flung open; trees were cut down or trimmed high above all the windows; every sleeping-room, every living-room kept full of sun-dried, sun-warmed sun-purified air, there would be seen in one generation a revolution in the country.

SUMMER IN THE COUNTRY.

"My folks are going to the country to be gone all summer," enthusiastically exclaimed a little girl yesterday as she met another. Pa was telling ma that we'd all go out to Uncle John's. Ma she'll work for her board, pa will work in the saw mill, I'll pick berries and ride horse to plough corn, brother Tom will go around with a lightening-rod man and while you folks are in the awful heat we'll be putting on airs and fixing over our old clothes for fall. Don't you tell, now, for ma is saying to everybody that she must have the country air to restore her shattered nerves."

CHAMPION SPOUTING SPRING.

At Saratoga many visitors assemble to witness the immense column of water that leaps from sixty to eighty feet into the air as the nozzle of the spout is removed. This is necessary each day, or too long confinement of the gas would endanger an explosion.

It required an undue amount of perseverance on the part of its discoverers to develope this spring, for in four instances the project was abandoned as hopeless. They were finally successful, about three or four years ago, after boring some three hundred feet below the surface.

CHIPS.

We poke a good deal of fun at Russian names, but if we stopped to think a minute it might occur to us that the Russians could turn the tables on us.

The Russian Duke, was talking about the beauties of America. Said Jackson, "When I went to Skeneatelas across the Shawangunck Mountains, I came back by the way of Chautauqua, Conshocken, Susquehanna, Wissahickon and Cattaraugus, but I found no scenery prettier than that around Pasack, Pequanac, Hacensack Sucasunna, Packanack, Wagaraw, Hopatcong and Acqtackanock."

"Oh, I'll have a blazing time on the Fourth!" yelled a boy yesterday at another in the yard.

"Going to shoot off your mouth?" sneered the other. "No, I hain't going to shoot off my mouth, but I've got a firecracker as big as your leg, 200 torpedoes, six old muskets and a skyrocket. Mam sold the stove biler yesterday for lemons and sugar, dad is round trying to pick up gooseberries for a pie, we've got the dead thing on a yearling chicken, and if you want to see the Goddess of Liberty turn handsprings over the clothes line you come round and look through the alley fence.

— Electricity has been applied to a strange use in the East Indies. A platinum wire, connected with the poles of a battery, is stretched around a tree, and, as it becomes immediately red-hot, it is gently see-sawed, with the requisite pressure against the tree, and rapidly burns its way through. It is thought that a tree can be cut down without any waste of timber, in about 15 minutes, that would take two hours to fell in the ordinary way.

— "How old did you say this company was?" inquired an inquisitive female while visiting the Ancient and Honorables parade on the common the other day. "Two hundred and thirty nine years, marm:" was the reply. "My soul," said the surprised dame. "you wouldn't think it to look at 'em, would you now"

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Newport, at 8.20 AM; 12.00 M; 3.30. 6 (boat) PM—**Return,** 7.20. 10.40 AM; 3.45 PM.

Fall River via **Taunton,** 8.20 AM; 12.00 M; 3.30, 4.30,6.00PM; via **Bridgewater,** 8.00 AM; 4PM. **Return** via **Taunton,** 5.30*h*. 6.50. 8. 11.20 AM; 4.18 PM; via **Bridgewater,** 6.30 AM; 3.15 PM.

Taunton, 8.20 AM; 12 M; 3.30. 4.30.6*f*PM. **Return** 7.33. 8.45 AM; 12 M; 5 PM.

North Easton, Stoughton, Randolph, 8.20 AM; 12 M; 3.30, 4.30, 6.05 PM. **Return, North Easton,** 6.52, 7.59, 9.05 AM; 12.25, 5.22 PM. **Return, Stoughton,** 6.59. 8.07. 9.12 AM; 12.33, 5.29 PM. **Return, Randolph,** 7.10, 8.16, 9.19 AM; 12.45, 5.37 PM.

Middleboro, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 3.32, 4, 6.05 PM.—**Return,** 6.10, 7.20, 9.15 AM; 12.20, 4.13, 6.24 PM.

Bridgewater, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 12 M; 3.32, 4, 5, 6.05 PM. **Return,** 6.30, 7.38, 9.32 AM; 12.37, 4.38, 6.43 PM.

Brockton, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 1.50, 3.32, 4. 6.05 PM. **Return,** 6.54, 8, 9.47 AM; 12.58, 3.16, 5,7.02PM.

Plymouth via **Abington,** 8 AM; 2.30.4, 5 PM; via **Duxbury,** 7.45 AM; 3.30, 5.30*g* PM. **Return** via **Abington,** 6.30, 7.40, 11 AM; 3.40PM; via **Duxbury,** 8.40 AM; 4.20 PM.

East Bridgewater, 8.00 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 5 PM.—**Return** 6.55, 9.53 AM; 3.05 PM.

South Abington, 8 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 5, 6.15 PM.—**Return,** 6.15, 7.12, 10.10, 11.36 AM; 4.15 PM.

South Weymouth, 8AM; 12 M; 2.30.4, 5, 6.15 PM. **Return,** 6.34, 7.32, 10.30, 11.55 AM; 4.34 PM.

South Duxbury, 7.45 AM; 3.30, 5.30PM. **Return,** 7, 9.01 AM; 4.40 PM.

Cohasset, Hingham, Weymouth and East Weymouth, 7.45, 11.15 AM; 2.30, 3.30, 5.30, 6.15 PM. **Return, Cohasset,** 6.44. 7.48, 9.50 AM; 1.16, 4.05, 5.40 PM. **Return, Hingham,** 6.57, 7.58, 10.03 AM; 1.29, 4.20, 5.55 PM. **Return, East Weymouth,** 7.07, 8.05, 10.12AM; 1.39, 4.30, 6.06 PM. **Return, Weymouth,** 7.16, 8.14, 10.21 AM; 1.49, 4.40, 6.17 PM.

Nantasket, 7.45, 11.15 AM; 2.30, 5.30, 6.15 PM.—**Return,** 6.51, 9.57 AM; 1.23, 4.14, 5.48 PM.

South Braintree, 6.45, 7.30, 8, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50, 11.15 AM; 12 M; 1.50. 2.30, 3.32, 4*f*, 4.05, 4.30, 5, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30 11.15PM. **Return** 5.55, 6.44, 7.19, 7.25, 7.42, 8.29, 8.50, 9.32, 10.41 AM; 12.04, 12.53, 1.20, 1.52, 3.42, 4.45, 4.55, 5.21, 5.45, 7.18, 8.25, 10.20 PM.

Braintree, 6.45, 7.30, 7.45, 8, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50 11.15*f* AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.30, 3.32,4.05, 5, 5.30, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6, 6.48, 7.25, 7.30, 7.45, 7.47, 8.21, 8.55, 9.36, 10.30, 10.45 AM; 12.57, 1.59, 3.47, 4.51, 4.59, 5.48, 6.27, 8.28, 10.24 PM.

Quincy, 6.45, 7.30, 7.45, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6.06, 6.54, 7.30, 7.36, 7.52, 8.26, 8.37, 9.01, 9.42, 10.36 AM; 12.11, 1.02, 2.06, 3.55, 4.56, 5.05, 5.54, 6.34, 7.25, 8.34, 10.30 PM.

Wollaston Heights, 6.45, 7.30, 9.30, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5.32, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6.10, 6.58, 7.40, 7.55, 9.05, 9.46, 10.39 AM; 1.04, 2.09, 4, 5.08, 6.37, 8.38, 10.33 PM.

Neponset, 6.45, 7.30, 8.20, 9.30, 10.15, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 12.40, 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 5, 5.30*f* 5.32, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6.17, 7.05, 7.47, 8.09, 8.37, 9.13, 9.52, 10.43, 11.08 AM; 12.19, 12.50, 2.17, 4.07, 5.16, 6.02, 6.43, 8.45, 10.39 PM.

Harrison Square, 6.45, 7.30, 8.20, 9, 9.30, 10.15, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 12.40, 1, 1.50, 3, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5.05, 5.32, 6.05, 6.25, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM—**Return,** 6.23, 7.11, 7.51, 8.15, 9.03, 9.18, 9.56, 10.32, 11.12 AM; 12.54, 2.07, 2.21, 4.12, 5.20, 6.12, 6.47, 8.53, 10.43 PM.

West Quincy, 7.45, 9.30 AM; 12.40, 2.30, 5, 6.15 PM. **Return,** 6.48, 7.54, 8.50, 10.53AM; 2, 5, 6.17PM.

Milton Lower Mills, 6.45, 7.30, 9, (10.15 via Neponset) AM; 1, 3, 4.05, (5.30 via Neponset.) 6.25, 9.30*a*, 11.15*e* PM. **Return,** 6.06, 6.54, 7.59, (8.31 via Neponset.) 8.49, 10.18 AM; (12.42 via Neponset). 1.53, 3.57, (5.05 via Neponset.) 5.58, 8.37*a*, 10.27*e* PM.

Field's Corner and Ashmont, 6.45, 7.30, 9 AM; 1, 3, 4.05, 5.05, 6.25, 9.30*a*, 11.15*e* PM. **Return, Field's Corner,** 6.18, 7.06, 8.10, 9, 10.29 AM; 2.04, 4.08, 6.09, 8.48*a*, 10.38*e* PM. **Return, Ashmont,** 6.12, 7, 8.04, 8.54, 10.23 AM; 1.58, 4.02, 6.03, 8.42*a*, 10.32*e* PM.

Sandwich, 8 AM; 4, 6.05*g* PM. **Return,** 6*d*, 7.46AM; 2.43 PM.

Hyannis, 8 AM; 4, 6.05*g* PM. **Return,** 5.15*d*, 7AM; 1.53 PM.

Provincetown, 8 AM; 4 PM. **Return,** 5.15, 11 AM.

Wood's Holl, 8, 11.15 AM; 4 PM. **Return,** 7.30, 11 AM; 2.20, 5 PM.

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South Braintree, 5.45, 8.15 AM; 12.45, 5 PM. **Return** (South Braintree), 9.18 AM; 1.43, 6, 8.18 PM.

Milton, Mattapan & Shawmut Branch, 1, 5.30, 10.00 PM. **Return** (Milton), 9.39 AM; 2.19, 6.29 PM.

Weymouth, Hingham, Nantasket, Cohasset, D. & C. R. R., Plymouth, 8.35 AM. **Return, Plymouth,** 3.50 PM., Cohasset, 5 PM. Nantasket 5.05 PM. Hingham, 5.12 PM, E. Weymouth 5.20, Weymouth, 5.29.

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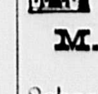

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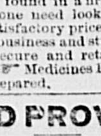

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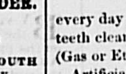

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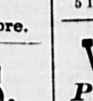

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Dropped down at my lattice bar:
(The sweet moon over yon rosy crest
Was leading the Morning Star.)
A blithe little bird, with a silvery throat,
Dropped down from her hidden nest;
With musical quaver and trilling note,
She twittered and sang her best.

And this, my dear, was the burden
Of the quaint little song she sung:
"Awake! awake! for love's sweet sake,
The world is fair and young!
A little while the blue skies smile,
And youth and hope remain;
Pluck thou the rose,
Ere the brief morn goes
That will not come again!

"The woods with wedding chorals ring—
New joyance stirs the flowers;
The errant winds are whispering
Some message of the showers!
A balmy freshness breathes before
The footsteps of the dawn—
The vague delight, that comes no more
When youth and hope are gone!"

So, sweetheart, prithee tell me,
While the world is young and fair,
And hill, and heath, and woodland
Their greenest glory wear,
While yet the bloom and freshness
Of youth and hope are ours.
And Love puts forth to crown us
The brightest of her flowers—
Shall not the vows that fetter
Two willing hearts, be said?
For in the prime
Of the summer time
Is the time to woo and wed!

TOM'S WIFE.

"We've had her returned on our hands three times," said Miss Dodger, the matron of the Penny-town Orphan Asylum. "Upon my word, ma'am, I wouldn't advise you to take her. Pretty? Oh, of course she's pretty; but we all know as looks is only skin-deep. And I couldn't reconcile it to my conscience, ma'am, to let a lady like you, as has subscribed fifty dollars a year to the Asylum Fund for ten years, take a viper like that to your bosom."

Mrs. Kent Poynsett looked at little Tilda. Little Tilda looked at Mrs. Poynsett; and you might have heard a pin drop on the clean-scoured floor.

"If she'd only take me!" thought Tilda.

"She has the face of an angel," thought Mrs. Poynsett.

And then she added, aloud:

"Why, what has she done so terrible?"

"Well, ma'am, not to be irreverential," said Miss Dodger, laughing behind her hand, "she's a born limb of Satan! Mrs. Duyer, the parson's wife, took her on trial first, and, if you'll believe me, ma'am, the very first day there she was a p'radin about in the parson's second-best wig and a table-cloth, with a hymn-book upside down, preachin' sarmons to the hired gal and the stable-boy.

"Well?" said Mrs. Poynsett. "What else?"

"Then she went to Miss Phoebe Pettigrew's, and the very first day she broke a china cup, stole two lumps of sugar and danced nigger minstrels in the kitchen. Miss Phoebe said she couldn't have the morals of her establishment corrupted by no such goings on. And then Mrs. Gusset, the milliner, came for a 'prentice, and thought maybe Tilda'd do for her. But, bless your heart, ma'am, back she come with Tilda, in less than a week, complainin' as she'd lost her best customer by Tilda's mimicking her, back of the shop door, when she was a-tryin' on a new dress hat from Paris! And, what's worse, Tilder'd taken ten yards of lute-string ribbon, and tied up the cat's face to look exactly like old Mrs. Kirkwhistle, and then put the poor creetur in the show-window, so as every one that went by knew the likeness the minute they clapped eyes on the cat, fast asleep, in a box of lace frillings! Well, ma'am," with a reproachful glance at the child, "and what can anyone do with such a young heathen as that?"

"I have got a lame child" said Mrs. Poynsett, "and I want some one to amuse her and be good to her."

"Oh, ma'am, take me?" cried Tilda, starting forward, her eyes shining, her brown hands involuntarily clasped. "I love little children! And I'll be so good!"

"I will try this little girl," said Mrs. Poynsett, after a minute's hesitation.

"I wouldn't advise it, ma'am," said Mrs. Dodger, with her mouth screwed up like a key-hole.

"Still I shall risk it," ssid Mrs. Poynsett.

And the swart-faced little gipsy, with the dewy black eyes and the short elfe locks, went home with the grand lady who lived at Poynsett Lodge, and drove out every day in a carriage with two black horses.

Mrs. Dodger's gloomy forebodings, however, remained unfulfilled. Sidney Poynsett, a morbid, spoiled cripple, with a thousand and one whims, took an extravagant fancy to black-eyed Tilda, and the child seemed at once to settle into a niche which naturally belonged to her. Her genius for mimicry, her beaming face, her inexhaustible expedients, enlivened the whole house; and, at sixteen, she seemed almost like one of the family.

"Is she your adopted child?" asked old aunt Sharpeye, who came at about that time on a visit to the family.

"Yes," said Mrs. Poynsett. "She has remarkable talents, and she shares Sydney's governess and masters."

"She is very beautiful," said aunt S., taking snuff.

"Yes, in a dark, gipsy sort of complexion."

"And Tom thinks so, too," added aunt Sharpeye.

"Tom?" said Mrs. Poynsett, with a start; "what can possibly induce you to think so?"

"My own senses," replied aunt S., shrewdly. "My dear niece, you must be both blind and deaf and dumb.—Look there!"

Mrs. Poynsett did look. Under the shifting shadows of the grape-arbor, now hung with bloomy clusters of deep purple and paler amethyst, Tilda was standing, with a half-filled basket on her arm, her forehead shaded by a Spanish flat, her coral lips shyly smiling, while Tom Poynsett was reaching down grapes, and regarding her with very evident admiration.

"But he is engaged to Louise Trimmer," involuntarily cried out Mrs. Poynsett.

"Love goes where it is sent," shrewdly remarked aunt Sharpeye.

Mrs. Poynsett called Tilda into her room that night.

"My dear," said she, "I have something to say to you."

"Well!"

Tilda nestled down on a low stool at her patroness' feet, and laid her silky head upon Mrs. Poynsett's knee. The good lady felt as may feel the tender-hearted butcher, about to put the knife to the lamb's throat.

"Did you ever hear of our Tom's engagement to Louise Trimmer?" said she, rather abruptly, at the last.

"No!"

Tilda looked up, with startled eyes and paling cheek.

"It's quite an old affair," said Mrs. Poynsett, trying to speak carelessly. "I—I thought Tom might have mentioned it. He's a little disposed to be fickle—men often are, you know; but it would break my heart if anything were to induce him to prove false to Louise."

And nothing more was said. The same evening, Tom Poynsett came into his mother's room.

"Mother," said he, "I love Tilda. I never can marry that Trimmer girl!"

"Oh, Tom!"

"Yes, I know what you would say—it's ungentlemanly, and dishonorable, and all that sort of thing—but what is a fellow to do? Tilda is the sweetest little fairy in the world, and I love her, and never can love any one else."

And poor Mrs. Poynsett spent a sleepless night, thinking how she should manage to get Tilda out of the house the next morning.

But Tilda saved her the trouble. She was missing at the breakfast-table and a little note lay on her plate. It read:

"DEAR MRS. POYNSETT: Good-by! I have leaned on your kindness long enough. I am going out into the world now, to take care of myself. Good-by, and think kindly sometimes of

TILDA.

Sydney cried herself into hysterics. Tom sat with folded arms, glooming like a thunder-cloud; and Mrs. Poynsett felt a sharp pain at her heart in thus suddenly parting with the girl who had been one of her household for so long.

"It's for the best, though," said she, to herself, "and Tilda is a girl who will always be able to take care of herself."

The next week, Louise Trimmer made a run-away match of it with her French teacher, and all Mrs. Poynsett's beloved plans were frustrated.

"Don't worry, my dear," said aunt Sharpeye. "He'll get over it. Men always do."

But Tom Poynsett was evidently a contradiction to the usual rules. He grew moody and melancholy.

"Mother," said he, one day, "I think I shall join that expedition to the Polar Regions."

Mrs. Poynsett grew pale.

"But, Tom, it is so dangerous. Oh, Tom, why do you want to leave your home?"

"Why should I want to stay, mother?" he replied, gloomily. "I have no heart for anything since Tilda went away."

It was that very afternoon that Mrs. Poynsett had gone to New York, and as she passed into a millinery store one of the hands came in from the back room, leaving the door a little ajar.

Mrs. Poynsett involuntarily glanced in that direction. A head of silky curling hair, bending low over a box of artificial roses, somehow struck the chord of her memory. It was just so that Tilda had been used to bend over the flowers which she had arranged for Sydney at home.

"May I step into your work room a moment?" she asked of the milliner.—"I think I see a girl there whom I used to know."

The next minute she was holding Tilda's hands in hers.

"Tilda, my dear girl! come back to us!" she cried. "The world has all gone wrong since you went away from our home!"

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"Well, I never!" said Miss Dodger, now grown into a vinegar-tempered old woman. "Mr. Poynsett married to a girl out of an asylum, nobody knows who! and a girl that was returned on our hands three times before we could get her adopted! Some people have queer tastes, I must say. And Mrs. Poynsett is as delighted, they tell me, as if her son had married one of the princesses royal! This world is growing more unaccountable every day, I must say!"

But Tom Poynsett knew that he had won a heart of gold.

HURRICANES ON THE FLORIDA COAST.

The first norther on the east coast usually occurs about the middle of November. He is heartily welcomed, for his cold breath kills the fleas, red bugs, mosquitoes and sand flies, and the cuticle of the Floridian gets a sweet rest. The norther backs up the water in lagoons nearly dry during the summer, and dispels malaria engendered by the scorching weather. Millions of ducks and snipe pour into the marshes on his wings, and the hunter is invigorated under his cooling influence. If the norther lasts more than three days, natives say he is good for nine. Should he exceed the latter number, they set him down for twenty-seven days. There is something in it. Last winter the wind did certainly come from the north twenty-seven days in succession. Indeed, between Dec. 10 and April 15, four days out of five were ruled by a northerly wind. At one time the water was so cold that hundreds of chilled green turtles were picked up in Mosquito Lagoon, and the ebb tide was freighted with dead fish.

As the orange trees blossom and spring advances the cold northerly winds are supplanted by warm southerly breezes. "All this wind must come back," is a remark frequently made during the prevalence of a norther. In the end it does come back, and its southern sister, at first warmly greeted, becomes a nuisance. She produces an untold number of insectile annoyances. Shallops bound south persistently beat their destination amid clouds of midges and mosquitoes. Rattlesnakes, scorpions, ticks, deerflies, cockchafers, and blood-sucking bugs make their appearance, and the air is full of filmy pests until the fall equinox. Occasionally a delightful easterly breeze flavored with ocean sprays sweeps the annoying insects into the pine woods, but they quickly return to bless the inhabitants.

The summers are passably cool. The thermometer rests between 80° and 90°, with occasional spurts to 100°. At night the heat is frequently intense. Without a close sand-fly bar there is no rest, and with one no air. Grateful dews cool the air before daylight, but a coppery sun soon reappears, and up to 9 A. M. the atmosphere is like that of a furnace. Then a refreshing trade wind sets in from the southeast, and blows steadily until sundown. This trade wind lasts three months, say from the middle of June to about the same time in September. Without it, life on the eastern coast would be insupportable. There are days in which the air becomes mucky and sticky. A dead land breeze covers the earth. The sands and marshes throw out a tremulous heat, blinding to the eye; the leaves of the oleanders and fig trees shrink under the burning rays of the sun; the sky seems roofed by a brazen dome, and the gardens and groves fairly pant for breath.

On the approach of autumn the Floridian quakes with apprehension. It is the dread season of hurricanes. Tearing through the West Indies, they often strike the coast with deadly effect. With scarcely a note of warning, houses are overthrown, sailboats blown from the water, and orange groves swept bare of leaves and fruit. Some of the old settlers say that they can detect signs of the storm a day before it breaks upon them.

"You feel it in the air long before it comes," says one. This is, however, an indefinite sign. The devastation lining its track certainly proves that "you feel it in the air after it comes." One of these typhoons visits the coast every year. The day may be bright and beautiful, and the flowers heavy with bees and humming birds. Shimmering mosquito hawks quiver in the air, and the scarlet cardinal twitters in the acacias. A cooling breeze plays through the leaves of the trees and gently swings the unripe oranges. Clouds of gulls soar above the dark green mangrove bushes, and the sandbars, at low tide, are covered with pensive curlews and willets. The drowsy roar of the surf is heard, and the gentle swell of the ocean is rippled with golden sheen.

Almost imperceptibly the wind may die away. Cries of terns and water birds fall upon the ear with painful distinctness. The mud hens of the marshes pipe an alarm. Not a blade of salt grass moves. The blue sky grows hazy, and the eastern horizon is milky white. Fitful gusts begin to ripple the water and handle the green leaves. A low moan comes from the ocean. Smoky clouds roll into the sky from the southeast, and a strong wind whitens the ruffled water. Every minute it increases in fury. An ominous yellow light tinges the atmosphere. The sun is gone, and great drops of rain are hurled to the ground. Within fifteen minutes there is a gale, and soon the full force of the hurricane is felt. Great eagles and pelicans are swept through the heavens utterly powerless. Sparrows and other small birds are lashed to death by leafless twigs, and the torn bodies of snowy herons and wild turkeys lodge in the branches of the live oak and cypress trees.

All living things disappear. Tall pines are twisted asunder. The lithe limbs of willows and oleander snap like cow-whips. Lofty palmettoes bend their heads to the ground, their great fans turned inside out like the ribs of an umbrella. The force of the wind keeps the trees down until every green fan pops like a pistol-shot. Orange groves are ripped into shoe strings. The leaves of the scraggy scrub on the beach are wiped out; and their stems whipped into little brushes. The tough saw-palmetto is blown as flat as a northern wheatfield, and the dead grass of the savannas lashed into fine dust. Boards in the surf are struck by the wind, and sent spinning hundreds of feet into the air. The sand dunes are caught up bodily and sifted through the tops of pine trees miles away. The foam of the sea is blown beneath the houses on the main land, and comes up between the cracks of the floor like steam.

These hurricanes last from seven to eight hours, even longer. During the lulls rain falls in torrents. The tide rises to a great height, carrying away wharves and boat houses, and flooding the low country for miles. The ocean leaps the sandy barriers of the coast and floods the Indian and other salt water rivers, involving great damage. After the storm, centre-boards and jib-stays are found in spruce pines, oleanders are loaded with cordage, and dead-eyes and peak-blocks drop from leafless orange trees. Gardens are destroyed, fences swept away, and the tormented Floridian has three months' work and no pay to repair damages.

AN ENTERPRISE.

A quarter century ago apprentices were frequently bound to serve a regular apprenticeship, and a rollicking youngster named Jerry, lived with his master's family and was obliged to perform domestic services as required.—Twice each week it was Jerry's prescribed duty to accompany Mrs. Y., his master's wife, to the market and carry back the purchases. On one occasion, the lady invested in a half dozen half grown, purely white and beautifully feathered chickens. These, on account of their sprightly appearance, were permitted to live on and roam the ample house yard of the Y's, which premises were next adjoining the printing office.

In a little while, the young fowls being well fed and petted, became very tame and familiar with the members and attaches of the household. Perhaps it was two or three weeks after their purchase, and occupation of the new quarters, when Mrs. Y. announced to her husband and the assembled diners at the table, one noon, that the growing pullets had developed a number of bright scarlet feathers, making a very marked contrast with the snowy white ones in all other parts of their covering. When dinner was done, master and apprentices visited the chickens, and after close observation, all present decided they were uncommon, and none had ever seen similar marked poultry.—Jerry was one of the number, and for once he was passive and merely looked on.

Mr. Y. mentioned the curious plumage of the fowls to several persons and ere long a number of callers came to view them, among whom were several so called "chicken fanciers," who were so much impressed with the oddity that they offered good sums for the new chickens. These proffers were not accepted, as it was not the desire of the lady who owned the fowls to turn them into money again.

Surprise and curiosity were largely augmented a few day later by the fresh discovery of Mrs. Y. that there suddenly appeared decidedly *blue* feathers, in harmonious juxtaposition to the red ones, in various parts of the now highly prized bipeds. Still no one seemed to have a suspicion that the striking change in the plumage of the tender fowls was other than natural to them, and not one supposed it to be a smart bit of Jerry S.'s deviltry. Even professed poultry breeders examined them, and, being unable to explain the peculiarity, were content to call it a "strange freak of nature," or that the birds were of a new variety.

Meanwhile, Jerry, the sly dog, who had accomplished the imposition, hugged himself with very delight over his successful delusion of so many persons. Mrs. Y. had a fanciful and large Gothic cage made for her pets, and her market boy had the unblushing temerity to propse a name for the "new style" of fowls, which the simple hearted lady actually adopted. Gradually familiar visitors were calmly informed that they were the "American National Banner Chickens," very rare indeed, as nobody else had them. The "Centennial" was not in vogue, or it is barely possible that a different appellation might have been suggested.

Successful adventures and charlatans not unfrequently are emboldened to carry their schemes a step too far.—This was master Jerry's fate. Not content with fooling people to the "top of their bent," he must needs accomplish the dethronement of his own artistic, although unrecognized genius, and tumble back to the common dust heap to be derided as an impudent trickest.

Jerry's exploits tickled him to such an extent that he supposed he could go still farther in the same direction with like impunity. The facts are, his previous operations were brought about by several pots of colored ink, and finding a quantity of gold bronze in the same place he applied them with precision to the legs and beaks of the already variegated fowls, as he had before applied the colors to their plumage.—The last result was rather stunning.—From tawny drab, the parts receiving the coatings of size and bronze powder became like new brass. It was *too* much. The last "fraud" was immediately apparent, and it led to the discovery of the others.

Jerry received a "reward of merit," in the shape of a sharp castigation from the hand of his master.

Whittlings.

— John Bag is tied up in a Michigan jail.

— An immense "drive" of logs is on the way down the Connecticut River. It contains over 9,000,000 feet of logs cut from a region that was secured to this country under the Webster-Ashburton treaty of 1842, and bordering the very sources of the river.

—Mr. Crapo and Mrs. Crapo are still at sea and neither has yet thrown the other overboard. Such domestic tranquillity passeth the understanding.

— A pianomaker in Vienna, has invented a mechanism rendering it possible to prolong the sound of each note at the will of the player.

— Many a sweet girl, with tender loving eyes, has wept away the moments of love's young dream, while the young man who was to tell her all about it is pleading with the livery stable man, trying to hire four dollars' worth of horse and buggy for a dollar and a half.

— Artemus Martin of Erie, Pa., on whom the degree of A. M. was conferred by Yale College at the last commencement, is a market gardener, who sells vegetables in the streets of Erie twice a week. He is a regular contributor to foreign and American educational publications, and has a mathematical library of several hundred volumes. He is self-educated.

— Nahant has begun to be addicted to the sea-serpent, as usual. He can only be seen through a glass, and is bottle-green and foams at the mouth.—He was first observed by a cork's crew that looked right down into his throat while going 'round in his vicinity.—His breath smells of whiskey, and his eye is red and fierce. He has been seen after several schooners.

— Gen. Sherman's daughter has never yet worn the diamond necklace sent her by the Khedive of Egypt.

— Now is the time when the tired citizen, respited for a time from labor, stretches his length luxuriously in the long grass of the country, and keeps his wife up half the night rubbing his rheumatic shoulder with liniment.

— Nineteen times within the last hundred years the Russian forces have crossed the Danube with hostile intent, without including the present crossing.

— Many of the physicians of Philadelphia are recommending their patients to drink butter-milk, and the pigs down that way are loudly complaining.

There are few articles more easily manufactured than vinegar; and it does seem strange with the great abundance of cider the country is capable of producing, that resort should be had to such vile and deleterious materials as sulphuric acid, bilge water, and other abominations. A cheap and wholesome article may be made of water, molasses and yeast, say twenty-five gallons of water, four of molasses and one of yeast.

A tin-peddler thought to save money by sleeping in an old shed. There was a skunk in there, and the peddler paid $15 for a new suit of clothes.

— These meat showers—now people know exactly what they are. They had one of them in Franklin, Tennessee, the other day, and a scientific man put a bit of the "meat" under a microscope and found it to be "an organism—a loricated infusoria." Each animalcule is inclosed in a shell of sillica, and is one four-hundredth of an inch long. One drop contains almost fifty of these. The scientific man's theory is that they came from decaying heaps of kelp in the Gulf of Mexico.

— We have taken wood, potatoes, corn, eggs, butter, onions, cabbages, chickens, stone, labor, sand, calico, sourkrout, second-hand clothing, coonskins, and bug-juice on subscription, in our time, and now a man writes us to know if we would send the paper six months for a large owl. There are few things an editor would refuse on subscription, and if we come across any fellow who is out of owl, and is in need of one, we'll do it.—[Osborne Co. (Kas.) Farmer.

— An undertaker in Dallas, Texas, dug a coffin out of a grave because he had been unable to get pay for it.

— The fences around Washington are still full of Ohio men, patiently awaiting their turn.

— A Santa Barbara, Cal. saloon keeper offers every one who takes a drink a numbered ticket. Every time a drink is taken a new number is given. At the end of the month the numbers are all put into a lottery wheel, and the lucky number draws $25. Of course the toper who has the largest number of tickets is supposed to have the best chance for the $25.

— "Which is the most valuable—experience or instinct?" was the subject up for a discussion at a country debating society recently. One member said experience teaches us to back up to a hot stove when we are cold, but when our coat-tails catch fire instinct is boss.

— According to returns obtained by the Royal Irish Constabulary and the Dublin police, 37,587 persons emigrated from Ireland in 1876. Yet the population appears to have increased 10,352 in that year.

— The most ingenious plan suggested for the reduction of postage is to get married.

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LETTER FROM THE VINEYARD.

Dear Mr. Editor:

After a rainy season of three weeks the sun shines clearly and everybody lives out of doors. Not that the rain has kept us shut up. It has been a warm season and the fanciful piazzas of the pretty cottages have been thronged with happy groups. Do you know that this place is the great American Sanitarium?

No one who has visited Martha's Vineyard in the summer time can have failed to note the delicious purity and softness of the air. Inhaling it is like taking a spicy draught of nectar. Its exhilerating yet soothing power upon the nervous invalid is something marvellous. People come here laden with the accumulated aches of the long cold season; oppressed with a debility that makes them agree with Jonah that it is better to die than live. Neuralgia has had its own sweet will with them until it spurns control and riots in any part of the system as it pleases. Nervous prostration and its untold horrors is the result and the poor invalid becomes a torment to himself and everybody around him. To get rid of himself he comes to this beautiful "city by the sea," hoping against hope for an alleviation of his sufferings. The out-door life, the innocent amusements and the genial society divert his mind at the outset. There is rest and pleasure combined. He is not afraid of east-winds or any other wind. He can sit down to rest anywhere without danger from the soft air. He finds to his surprise that he sleeps well at night and rises refreshed in the morning. His appetite needs no coaxing. He begins to think of baked blue fish and broiled sea-trout and to appreciate the beauty of baked clams. Strength and courage and hope come to him and he begins to feel and act like common people. As I raise my eyes from my writing, I see a young man who came here just a week ago in the care of his brother. He has been suffering from cough and weak lungs since last winter and has become feeble and emaciated. He does not cough at all here, *but he eats*. He has gained four pounds of flesh already. Ah, there is nothing like the Vineyard for chronic invalidism.

Our exemption from the foolish trammels of society makes life here particularly enjoyable. Fashion does not keep one dressing and undressing half of the time. A lady does not lose caste if her pretty print wrapper is made to serve for an all day dress. Of course among such a multitude of people there are elegant costumes, but these are exceptions. Plain, serviceable attire is the rule. A suit of gray or brown for walking and church-going with a couple of print or gingham wrappers will take a lady through a month very comfortably and creditably; though a thin dress for very warm days is a convenience. Gloves are scarcely worn at all. The hands soon get a lovely brown tint that answers every needed purpose. Comfort and common sense over-rule fashion, and the good qualities of the mind and heart rate above conventional cramps and stateliness. Not that we are wholly free from shoddy. We should have to go out of the world to get rid of that. Even the savage Indians have their specimens of it, and Mrs. Big Buffalo will swell as immensely upon a foundation of nothing as her civilized sister. But this element of society makes our comedy at the Vineyard, and would not willingly be dispensed with.

There are many visitors here who are not unknown to the readers of the Gazette. Most of the cottages are open, and impromptu concerts occur at any hour of the day. These musicales afford fine treats to the lovers of melody. They are especially delightful in the evenings.

Rev. Mr. Gracey and his family are established in their cottage on Clinton Avenue. They are as cheery and cordial as ever, and he is still able to sing his favorite song "Hold the Fort."

There have been a number of Temperance meetings besides the Temperance Convention, but as we are not in particular need of reform here there is not much enthusiasm in regard to it. Great crowds attend the religious meetings on the Sabbath; more than can be accommodated with seats anywhere outside of the Tabernacle. And so the pleasant summer drifts by, and its happy, peaceful pleasures will soon be among the things that are past. For this reason I must not waste another moment in writing.

Good Bye.
H. C. Gardiner.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

Fayetville, Vermont, July 18, 1877.

Mr. Editor:

The memorial service of the late Miss Mary R. Birchard, cousin of President Hayes and one of the victims of the Ashtabula disaster, was observed here on Wednesday, the 18th inst. People were present from Boston, New York, Long Island and many other parts of the country. The sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Burnham, of this town, from Gen. 5th, 24, and was highly appropriate to the occasion. From her diary it appeared that a short time before her death she had a premonition that something terrible was to happen to one of the family and she hesitated about making the journey. The following extract from a letter of President Hayes was read. "I would be glad to be present at the memorial ceremonies on the death of our dear Mary; I shall always remember her with deepest feelings of sorrow, and at the same time her charming ways and beautiful character will be always present; she is a real figure to my memory." The President had intended to be present and he expressed regret at his inability to attend, giving as his reason for not doing so, that the crowds, and necessary confusion incident to his coming would detract from the solemnity of the occasion, giving the services more the appearance of a festival than a funeral. He expects to be present at Bennington during the celebration in August, when he will visit here.

The church was profusely decorated with flowers. Over the chancel were the words, "She is dead, yet speaketh." The services on the whole were solemn and impressive, and the tear of sympathy for the parents, who were so suddenly deprived of their daughter, was seen in many an eye.

W. A. Pratt.

Fruit and Flowers for the Boston Hospitals may be sent next Wednesday night, to Miss Jane Clapp, Front St.

TOWN AND VICINITY.

Town Meeting.

The Selectmen of Weymouth have issued a warrant for a meeting of voters next Tuesday, to consider the acceptance of the bequests of Quincy and Susan Tufts for the establishment and maintainance of a public library in the town. The position in which the subject now stands, as will be seen by the announcement in another column, of the sales of land embraced in the estates, demands, in the judgment of the Trustees and the town authorities, immediate public action, although the committee at the May meeting were not required to report until the next annual meeting. The legal questions involved will, we presume, be presented and thoroughly considered at the meeting next Tuesday, and measures taken to carry out the benevolent intents of the testators in a manner which shall be consistent with justice to all parties concerned.

Lecture.

Mrs. Schereschewsky, of the Protestant Episcopal Mission to China, (wife of the Rev. Dr. Schereschewsky, bishop-elect of Shanghai,) has kindly consented to repeat her lecture on Christian Missions in China, at Trinity church, Weymouth, on Monday evening next, 30th inst, at half past seven o'clock. All interested in foreign missions, and the ladies especially, are respectfully invited to be present.

Accident.

Last Monday a large connecting bolt in a leather stripper at the factory of Messrs. Jas. H. Clapp & Co. broke short off in the attached parts, and the machine, which weighed about 500 lbs, was brought to Mr. T. South, at the Landing, who after several hours effort succeeded in drilling it out and put it in good shape for working. Mr. South is a first class workman, and the owners were well pleased with the job, as it was thought necessary to send the machine to the city.

Stolen.

Mr. Frank Drayton, a laborer in the employ of Mr. John T. Dizer, loaned a sum of money to a friend in Quincy, in exchange for a violin worth $50 and a double barrelled gun worth $150. He took the gun apart and placed it in the bottom of a trunk in his room in the stable, where it remained till a week ago last Saturday. Last Monday night his friend called to see if the gun was all right, and going to the trunk Mr. Drayton found that it was missing, the ramrod and other fixtures being left. He had been away from the stable but a few times during the interval, and the gun was no doubt stolen during the daytime. Capt. Garey is investigating.

Valuable.

At a recent meeting of the Massachusetts Dental Society, Dr. G. F. Waters described and tested a very simple and easy remedy for burns and scalds, consisting simply in covering the affected part with the common bicarbonate of soda—the ordinary soda used in cooking—and then overlaying a wet cloth. The severe pain is immediately relieved, and the burn rapidly heals. Dr. Waters poured boiling water on one of his wrists, and then he applied the soda and the wet cloth.

Returning.

Messrs. William and Stephen French, sons of Mr. Samuel French, of Lovell's Corner, who left home for Kansas about three months ago, and took up a tract of land in that State, have been quite unfortunate in farming operations, their crops having been ruined in consequence of extreme drought. A letter has been received from them stating that they had re-embarked for home, traveling with their team, and taking cooking utensils, &c., for the long journey.

Scarcity of Fish.

Capt. Lewis, who has favored the citizens of Weymouth and vicinity with fish during the last season complains of a lack in the supply, all fish, and mackerel in particular, being very scarce.

School Furniture.

We understand that the School Committee is negotiating with the Michigan School Furniture Co. for the furnishing of the new schoolhouse. Being personally acquainted with their agent, Mr. O. C. Clark, we can recommend him as a worthy man in every respect.

Dead.

Mr. G. Eddy, of Weymouth, lost a horse yesterday, the animal having been sick for a day or two with fever.

Band Concert.

The Weymouth Band will give their next concert in Jackson Square, East Weymouth, next Monday evening. The following week they will play at Hingham, and will be the guests of the Hingham Band.

Violins.

Mr. Van Raalte, of Eichberg's Boston Conservatory of Music, has frequent occasion to provide his pupils with violins, and recently called on Mr. I. A. Dailey, manufacturer of these instruments at Weymouth Landing, to test his violins, which he pronounced to be first class in tone and finish, and suited to his purpose in every respect. Mr. Dailey has several fine violins now ready and persons in want are invited to give him a call.

Publications.

Two elegantly printed pamphlets have recently been issued from the press of A. Mudge & Son, Boston, comprising a record of the proceedings at the Centennial celebration at Braintree last year, and the Braintree Soldiers' Memorial. We are indebted to Hon. F. A. Hobart for copies of the pamphlets.

Wood Engraving.

We have recently had forwarded to us, copies of some humorous wood-engravings from the establishment of Mr. F. A. McKechnie, No. 178 Congress St., Boston, who is considered one of the best engravers and designers in the city, and certainly his work attests this assertion. He has long since had the monopoly of the *Boston Daily Globe*, and some of the finest work leaves his establishment.

Sudden Death.

A horse belonging to Mr. Naaman Cobb, of Lovell's Corner, ate a quantity of potato tops, and was suddenly taken ill and died last Monday. The plants had been sprinkled with Paris green, to destroy potato bugs, and it is supposed that the poison was the cause of his death.

Excursion.

The Union Society Sabbath School are making arrangements for a visit to the Beach next week.

New Safe.

Messrs. J. W. Hart & Co. have put in to their establishment a large safe of the American Steam Safe Co.'s manufacture. It was brought from the city yesterday, on a dray.

The Beach.

Our streets are daily enlivened with the passage of pleasure vehicles, carrying parties from this and adjacent towns to Nantasket. Yesterday, the Trinity Episcopal Society made an excursion to the beach, tarrying at the Rockland Cafe. Wednesday last the Baptist Society visited the same locality, making their headquarters at the Pavilion, which is this season under the management of Mrs. Wm. S. Whiton, of Hingham, and as there has been a very marked improvement in the cuisine and surroundings of this establishment, under Mrs. Whiton's direction, we would recommend to our readers who may contemplate excursions to the beach to give her bill of fare a trial, as it will be found one of the best on the shore. "Katy's" chowders are not surpassed by any cooks in that quarter, and everything is kept in neat condition. Private rooms can be obtained, and dressing rooms for bathers are connected with the house, also a good stable in the rear, thus affording every convenience for the accommodation of patrons.

New Drum Corps.

Arrangements have been made to organize a new drum corps at East Weymouth, to be called "The East Weymouth Temple Drum Corps," the members, seven in number, all belonging to Mechanics Temple of Honor, viz.:

A. B. Hollis, Leader.
Brad. T. Hollis.
Clarence Orcutt.
Willie Peare.
Geo. W. Gardner.
Charles Cram.
Geo. E. Gardner.

The corps has procured five snare drums of the manufacture of Mr. Jos. Treat, of Boston, a base drum and a pair of cymbals. Mr. Hollis, the leader, was connected with a drum corps in the army during the rebellion, and it is expected that this will be a grand addition to our town musical facilities.

East Weymouth Five Cent Savings Bank.

The following statement of the condition of this institution July 1st instant, has been furnished us by N. Canterbury, Esq., Sec'y.

Dr.	
Loans—Real Estate,	63375.00
" —P. Society,	4375.00
" —Town and cities,	3000.00
" —Pub. Funds,	5060.00
" —Bank Stock,	3000.00
" Cash Bal.,	3770.23
	82580.23
Cr.	
Deposits,	81164.02
Profit and Loss,	1229.24
Guarantee Fund,	186.97
	82,580.23

Clam Bake.

A party of workmen in the factory of Messrs. Jos. W. Rogers & Co., made an excursion to the Neck last Tuesday, and "filled up" with baked clams, Mr. Geo. Tirrell acting as caterer.

Vacation.

Rev. Mr. Frary will preach his final sermon before his vacation, next Sunday. We wish him a very pleasant rest.

Boot Business.

The boot and shoe business in this village is quite lively at present.

The Hose

For the three new fire engines was received last week, and is stored in the Amazon house. The amount is 1500 feet—500 to each machine.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

Too Ripe.

The city lady who made the inquiry, "What are those animals with powder-horns growing out of their ears?" has arrived at North Weymouth, and seeing a couple of small boys busy in their father's garden setting out celery, wanted to know if they were planting *potatoes*.

Reception.

A public reception was given last Monday evening, at the Pine Point House, to Mr. Geo. Stewart, who has returned to his position as landlord of the hotel. The entertainment included a collation, music and dancing, addresses, and the presentation of gifts to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart.

Engine House Location.

A special meeting of the building committee and all others interested in the location of the new engine house at North Weymouth, was held at the office of Elias Beals, Esq., last Wednesday, a good number of residents being present. It was generally conceded that the house should be placed about 20 feet back from the sidewalk, and it will be located accordingly.

Clam Chowder.

The lodge of Good Templars at North Weymouth had a clam chowder party at Pilgrim wharf, last Tuesday afternoon. About 50 were present and the party had a jolly good time. Messrs. Pratt and Cushing, of the Bay View House, were the caterers.

In the evening the party returned to the lodge rooms, where they spent a pleasant interval in singing, etc.

K. of H. Excursion.

A pleasant excursion down the harbor occured Monday in observance of the second anniversary of the institution of the order of Knights of Honor in Boston. Lovell's Grove North Weymouth, was reached about one o'clock, and the party soon after sat down to an abundant shore dinner, and with sharp appetites and without formality proceeded to discuss the bill of fare. The company then scattered about the beautiful grove, the major part engaging in the dance at the pavilion, while the bowling alley and other attractions took up the attention of the remainder. During the afternoon the party were treated to a fine gymnastic exhibition by several volunteer performers.

Excursion.

The yacht "Clara B.," Capt. White, conveyed a party of gents last Friday evening, to Gloucester. On their way one of the party lost his hat and the Captain jumped into the dory to recover it; but as he stepped in the dory slipped away and he fell overboard, but he succeeded in getting aboard with no other damage than a thorough drenching. During their trip the yacht was enveloped in a dense fog, and one of the party became so disgusted with his marine experiences of sea-sickness, home-sickness, and general mental and physical disturbance, that he made tracks for home on a freight-steamer bound to Boston, arriving home about one hour before the yacht returned.

Narrow Escape.

A boy named Frank Nightingale, of Quincy, who was visiting his uncle, Mr. Geo. Ruggles, of North Weymouth, while playing on the Pilgrim wharf, fell overboard, and sunk for the third time, when he was rescued by Mr. Mark White, of Quincy Neck, who pushed off in a dory, and reaching down in the water at arm's length, drew him out. The boy was in a stupor through the day but finally recovered.

EAST WEYMOUTH.

Base Ball.

Another game of Base Ball was played last Saturday between the Rangers of East Weymouth, and the Tildens of Weymouth Landing, which resulted in a victory for the Rangers, the score standing 7 to 3.—Considerable talk was created by some who were in sympathy with the Tildens arguing that the whole number of the Tilden's regular players were not there. And one gent went so far as to offer to bet $10, that the Tildens with their regular nine would get more tallies in one inning than the Rangers would in nine. His bet however was not accepted, and as a matter of course he had everything his own way. The following is a record of the score played on Saturday:

Ranger's.—*Score.*	O.	R.
Cullen, P.,	3	1
Hogan, 1st B.,	2	1
Lonergan, L. F.,	4	0
Connell, S. S.,	4	1
McIntosh, R. F.,	3	1
Duffee, C.,	3	1
McCarthy, 2d B.,	4	0
Donahoe, C. F.,	2	1
Carroll, 3d B.,	2	1
Total.	27	7

Tildens.—*Score.*	O.	R.
Moriarty, 1st B.,	3	0
Billings, 3d B.,	4	0
Bates, 2d B.,	4	0
Mulligan, S. S.,	3	1
Murphy, C.,	4	0
Wren, P.,	3	0
Griffin, L. F.,	1	1
Caily, R. F.,	3	1
Killfoye, C. F.,	2	0
Total.	27	3

Innings.—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Ranger's.	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	—7
Tildens.	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	—

Umpire, W. Condrick. *Scorer*, D. McCarthy.
Time of game, 1 h., 40 m.

Decease.

A little son of Mr. Louis Develle died last Friday of croup, after a few days illness.

Successful.

A letter has been recently received by Crescent Lodge of Odd Fellows, from Bro. Jacob R. Lovell, stating that he intended to stay in his new home the remainder of his life, and devote his time to farming, as that occupation thoroughly agrees with his health.

Resumed.

Eleven of the nail machines in the iron foundry started last Monday to run for a short time.

Vacation.

Rev. Mr. Eldridge is to take his vacation the last Sunday of July and the first Sunday of August, as is the custom generally.

Land Notice.

Mr. Patrick Kennedy has issued a notice to all boat owners, trespassing on his meadow land, to come and settle with him in the sum of $2 each for damages.

Visitation.

On Thursday evening of last week, the East Weymouth Catholic Temperance Society held a sociable in their hall, the St. Johns Catholic Temperance Society of Quincy being present. During the evening speeches were made by Bro. Cleverly of the Quincy society, and by Bros. Whelan and McMorrow, of the East Weymouth society. The singing was a remarkable feature of the entertainment, it being generously provided by members of both societies. After this a collation was spread, to which they did ample justice. And thus the time passed merrily by, until the visitors were compelled by the lateness of the hour to depart, each declaring as he went that they had passed one of the most enjoyable evenings of the season.

Concert.

A grand concert was given in the East Weymouth Catholic Church, last Friday evening, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, tableaux, &c.—At 7½ a double quartette appeared upon the stage and gave a selection entitled "America," which was rendered in fine style. Next followed a tableaux, representing the "Goddess of Liberty" and the "Six New England States," which was beautiful beyond description. Then came a reading by Miss Crotty, of Boston, which was executed in an artistic manner, followed by a solo by Miss Nellie T. Nolan, of South Weymouth, accompanied by Mr. Arthur M. Raymond on the piano. Next came a tableaux representing "Faith at the foot of the Cross." A solo was then given by Mr. Thomas F. Nolan, of South Weymouth, followed by a tableaux representing "Faith, Hope and Charity," which was excellent and elicited much applause from the audience. After this came an intermission of some 30 minutes, during which time pastry and ice cream was served, the ice cream being furnished by Mr. T. A. Boyle, the well known manufacturer. The exercises were then resumed with a reading by Master James Fitzgerald, followed by a duett by Mr. Thomas F. and Nellie T. Nolan, which was rendered in fine style and fairly carried the audience by storm. Next followed a reading by Miss Annie Noonan, and Miss Crotty, which was excellent and received great applause. Then came a solo by Miss Nellie T. Nolan, which needs no encomium from the press, as the people of Weymouth know that Miss Nolan is one of our best vocalists. Then followed tableaus representing "Night and Morning," singly and combined, which closed the programme for the evening, being as a whole a grand success, netting the Society some $46. Great credit is due to the young ladies who so successfully carried out their parts. The society return their thanks to Mr. Jacob Dizer and Mr. J. G. Sanborn, for the loan of flags, and to Mr. Z. L. Bicknell, for dishes. We understand that the concert is soon to be repeated.

Rover.

Engine Co.

At a meeting of the East Weymouth Engine Co., held Wednesday evening, it was voted to procure the uniforms by subscription, and the following committee appointed to solicit upon the streets mentioned:—Charles H. Bearce, Broad and Shawmut Sts.; B. F. Shaw, Middle St; Edward B. Powers, Commercial, Cottage, Station, Wharf and East Sts.; Geo. W. French, all of that portion of Ward Two lying east of Back River, comprising High, Commercial, Grant, Hill, Myrtle, Grove, School, Pleasant, Water and Cedar Sts.; John A. Connell, Lake St. Property owners will take notice and respond liberally with spondulicks. The full number of names (50) has been obtained, and the membership is full.

Erroneous.

A rumor has been extensively circulated in town that Mr. Charles Simmons, the contractor for building the new engine houses, had declined to fulfil the contract; but as a refutation of this statement it will be sufficient to note that Mr. Simmons has made a purchase of 100,000 feet of lumber at Eastern ports, which he will use in the engine buildings. He will commence work on the house at East Weymouth immediately, and it is expected that the four houses will be completed by the first of November.

New Building.

Mr. C. H. Pratt, 3rd, is building a rendering establishment to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

Runaway.

A horse, with the forward wheels of a hay wagon attached to him, passed rapidly through Broad Street Tuesday, and ran until he reached Middle St., when he turned into the yard of Mr. Nathan T. Joy. It was subsequently ascertained that the animal belonged to Mr. Jones, of Hingham, and had started from Mr. Bates' place, on High St.

Correction.

In the list of officers of the Ladies Christian Temperance Union, published in last week's issue, the name of Mrs. Silas Canterbury, one of the Vice Presidents, was inadvertently omitted. The Union hold a meeting next Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

Clam Bake.

A large party of gentlemen went on an excursion to "The Neck," last week Thursday, and enjoyed a clam bake. The party were conveyed in two yachts belonging to James Curtin and Joseph Pratt.

Another.

A party of ladies and gentlemen visited Aunt Nabby's Grove, Hockley, last Wednesday, and participated in the same pleasure.

Firemen's Meeting.

At a meeting of the fire engine company, held on Tuesday evening last, the by-laws were signed and are to be forwarded to the Selectmen for approval. Samples of the uniform to be adopted by the company were exhibited at the meeting. The hat is of white enamelled leather; shirt of navy blue, with red trimmings, and a red belt. The suits will cost about $5.25 each. The company are awaiting the decision of the committee on location of the engines in the wards, as they wish the name to be placed on the suits.

61st Anniversary.

Mr. F. B. Bates, of East Weymouth, celebrated his 61st birthday last week, with a vigorous charge on the grass of Mr. H. C. Pratt, distancing all competitors.—As Mr. Bates had not swung the scythe for about 30 years, we take the liberty of chronicling this exhibition of continued vigor.

Narrow Escape from Death.

What came near being a serious accident on the evening of last Thursday week at the Railroad Station, was averted by the promptness and heroism of Mr. Henry Stoddard, of North Weymouth. It appears that a lady and little girl were crossing the track when some one shouted for them to come back, as the train was coming in. They turned in obedience to the summons, and the lady in her excitement, left the little girl standing on the track, upon which the down train was rapidly approaching. Mr. Stoddard, observing the child's danger, sprang forward, and seizing her jumped upon the platform just in time to clear the locomotive, thus by his heroic act saving a life which a few seconds later would have been a bruised and mangled corpse.

Olim.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

Addition.

A much needed addition has been made to Mrs. Dr. Tuck's Hygienic Retreat. The Retreat is now in a flourishing condition, and every thing is in readiness for the usual summer rush of patients.

The Union Circle

Of the 2nd Cong'l. Church met Wednesday afternoon and evening. A very enjoyable time was spent, especially by the young people, who passed the evening in games, which they seemed to enjoy very much.

Divine Services

Will be discontinued at the Second Cong'l Church the entire month of August.

Excursion.

A party of young ladies and gents made an excursion to Whitman's Pond last Tuesday to capture some of its finny inhabitants. They were very successful, not only in fishing but also in having a good time.

New Dwelling.

Mr. D. S. Murray's new dwelling, which is in process of erection on Main street, will greatly improve the looks of the street in that vicinity.

Accident.

Last Saturday night Mr. Stephen McGill, while helping the expressman to unload goods at his factory, received a painful, though not dangerous injury. Mr. McGill attempted to step from the doorstep to the wagon, but the horse started, and he was thrown to the ground, a distance of over three feet. Being a very heavy man he received a severe shock and sprained one of his legs.

Hermit.

Excursion.

At a meeting of the Second Cong'l Society, South Weymouth, held last Wednesday evening to consider the subject of an excursion, it was decided to go to the Rockland Cafe the 7th of August. Messrs. S. S. Spear, F. W. Loud and L. Alden, were appointed as committee to make all necessary arrangements.

South Weymouth, July 20th, 1877.

Editor Weymouth Gazette: *Dear Sir*,—Will you publish the enclosed account of the game of Base Ball, played on Saturday, and oblige, yours truly,

Edward R. Hastings.

Base Ball.

The reorganized *Actives* made their first appearance last Saturday in a game with the *Tildens* of Weymouth Landing. Not a little interest was manifested to see how the Actives, who have not played together before this season, would succeed against the nine from Weymouth, who had beaten the so-called "Town Nine" early in the summer. The result showed that the Actives retain considerable of the "stuff" with which they have won in times past, and predicted a good record in the future. The batting of the Actives was heavy and safe while the constituents of the unfortunate candidate for the Presidency seemed to be somewhat bothered by the puzzling delivery of F. Bates, who made his maiden attempt in the pitcher's position. Of the umpiring the less said the better; it is unfortunate that in spite of a determination to umpire "on the square" umpires often make serious mistakes through their ignorance of the rules. Some amusement was created by the use of the "Harvard wire mask," which was the cause of Raymond's *not* being obliged to appear among us with a closed optic or a seriously damaged nasal organ. The following is the score:

Actives.—*Score.*	A. B.	R.	1st B.	T. B.	P. O.	A.	E.
Raymond, C.,	5	1	1	1	5	5	3
F. Bates, P.,	5	2	3	4	2	4	0
Sawyer, 2d,	5	3	2	3	3	3	0
Hastings, 3d,	4	1	3	5	2	1	3
H. Bates, 1st,	5	1	1	3	7	0	0
Clapp, S. S.,	5	1	0	0	1	6	1
Nolan, L. F.,	5	0	2	3	2	1	0
Lane, R. F.,	6	0	0	0	3	0	3
Page,	4	2	3	3	2	1	0
Total.	44	11	15	22	27	21	10

Tildens.—*Score.*	A. B.	R.	1st B.	T. B.	P. O.	A.	E.
Moriarty, L. F.,	5	1	1	1	4	0	2
Fennell, C.	5	1	0	0	4	2	7
Mulligan, 1st,	5	2	1	3	10	0	3
Glosetr, 2d,	4	0	1	1	3	1	2
Shaw, 3d,	4	1	1	1	3	2	2
Bates, P.,	4	0	0	0	1	1	1
Murphy, S. S.,	4	0	1	1	0	6	1
Riley, C.,	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
Renn, R.,	4	1	1	2	1	2	2
Total.	39	6	6	9	27	14	21

Innings.—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	—Total
Actives.	4	0	0	2	1	1	0	3	0	11
Tildens	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	6

Umpire, Mr. Hobart of East Braintree.
Time of game, 2 hours, 30 minutes.

BY R. VOSE, Jr. & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS.
75 DEVONSHIRE STREET, BOSTON.

IMPORTANT
SALE
OF
LANDS
BELONGING TO THE
Tufts Estate,
IN
Weymouth, Braintree and Quincy.

SALE TO COMMENCE ON
Wednesday, Aug. 1, 1877,
AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.,

In the large Building on Jackson's Wharf, on Commercial Street, in Weymouth.

POSITIVE, WITHOUT REGARD TO WEATHER.

By order of Administrators and Executor.

J. M. PINKERTON,
WM. T. BRIGHAM,
Administrators with the Will annexed of Quincy Tufts.
WM. T. BRIGHAM,
Executor of Susan Tufts.

This valuable estate is well known to the people of Weymouth, and has been in the TUFTS FAMILY for more than a century, and all of it is well situated and likely to increase in value with the growth of the town. It embraces the most valuable Wharf Property at Weymouth Landing, near the head of navigation on Fore River; valuable store property on Washington Square; fine building sites on FRONT STREET; an excellent farm on SUMMER STREET, and a large wood lot in Braintree.

This sale is one of the largest and most atractive ever made in Norfolk County, and should command the attention of gentlemen seeking an opportunity for investment, as it will be most positive in its character.

Terms as follows:—Sales will be for HALF CASH, half six per cent. mortgage for five years, or ALL CASH, as purchasers may prefer; subject also to taxes for the present year. Fifty dollars to be paid down on each lot as sold to bind the bargain, and ten days will be given to examine the title. Property to be conveyed by the Executors and Administrators IN THE COMMON FORM OF EXECUTOR'S DEEDS.

Plans and Catalogues can be obtained of WM. T. BRIGHAM, Esq., 35 COURT STREET, or of the Auctioneers, at 75 DEVONSHIRE STREET, BOSTON. The property to be sold is as follows:

Lot No. 1. 4 acres of fresh meadow land in BRAINTREE.

No. 2. Mowing land on the east side of Church Street, in WEYMOUTH. See plan No. 1.

No. 3. Nine acres of pasture and woodland in WEYMOUTH. See plan No. 2.

No. 4. Nearly seven acres of pasture land on Summer Street, in WEYMOUTH. See Plan No. 3.

No. 5. Beach and Landing on COMMERCIAL STREET, in WEYMOUTH. See plan No. 4.

No. 6. Lot opposite the Tufts Homestead, being a triangular lot, on Commercial Street, containing 40 square rods, more or less. See plan No. 4.

No. 7. House lots or mowing land on Summer Street in Weymouth, containing four acres or more. See plan No. 5. This will be sold in one lot, or divided into three lots, as shown on the plan.

No. 8. STORE PROPERTY ON WASHINGTON STREET, WEYMOUTH, comprising two large wooden buildings in complete repair, and occupied by tenants at a rental of Eight Hundred Dollars per annum. Also a wooden out building recently erected. This lot contains 5124 square feet of land. Also all the RIGHT, TITLE and interest of the late Susan Tufts, in and to the other undivided half of said estate. See plan No. 6.

No. 9. Front Street lot in Weymouth, extending westward into Braintree. See plan No. 7.

No. 10. About four acres of fine mowing and pasture land, on the corner of Essex and Commercial Streets in Weymouth. See plan No. 8.

No. 11. Mowing land on North Street, Weymouth, near the North Weymouth Station, and known as the Emery Lot. See plan No. 9.

No. 12. House and Farm in North Weymouth, containing about 20 acres. This is a very desirable estate, and is situated near the North Weymouth Station. See plan No. 10.

No. 13. WHITE'S WHARF IN WEYMOUTH. This Wharf is faced with a substantial granite wall, heavily capped. Also the small building or office thereon. See plan No. 11.

No. 14. TUFT'S WHARF, No. 2, IN WEYMOUTH. A fine Wharf, strongly built of stone and timber, and bounded northerly by Weymouth River at low water mark. This Wharf contains 23,430 square feet, more or less, with a store house, and is leased to J. B. Rhines. See plan No. 12.

No. 15. Tuft's Wharf, No. 3 in Weymouth, containing 18,520 square feet. Also a large building on the premises used as a store house; also a shed. See plan No. 12.

No. 16. TUFT'S WHARF, No. 4. A piece of land and Wharf on Commercial Street, West of Wharf No. 3, about 186 feet long, midway between said street and the channel of Weymouth Fore River; 75 feet at the easterly end, as shown upon the plan. Is subject to a lease to F. A. Gardner for 5 years from May 1st, 1876; the lessee having the right to remove at the end of said lease, such buildings as he has erected on the land. See plan No. 13.

No. 17. BROOKS FARM. A large farm of about 88 acres, on Summer Street, in Weymouth. On the north side of the street are barns, out houses, etc., and a dwelling house recently erected and remodeled at great expense, and put in complete repair. The tillage land comprises some of the best in the town, and the woodland (about 40 acres) is very valuable. This estate will be sold subject to a lease to Isaac A. Brooks, Esq., for five years from November 1st, 1875. Also all the stock, tools, etc., contained in the following SCHEDULE, subject to the said lease (which may be examined at the office of Wm. T. Brigham, Esq., 35 Court Street,) viz:—Brindle Cow, Red Cow, 2 Heifers, 2 Horses, 7 tons English Hay, 2 1-2 tons Salt Hay, 4 1-2 tons Fresh Hay, 3-4 tons Corn Fodder, 1 two horse Wagon, 1 one horse Wagon, Express Wagon, Sleigh, Horse Cart, Harrow, Cultivator, 2 Ploughs, 12 cords of Manure, Express Harness, Blankets, 2 Halters, Grindstone, Tub for Well, 2 Cart Saddles, Hay Cutter, lot Chains, Hay Forks, Rakes, Grain Chest and Feed Trough, Whiffle-trees, Double Harness, Hay Wagon, and lot of Ploughs, Chains and miscellaneous tools.

No. 18. BURYING ISLAND SALT MARSH. About two and a half acres, bounded as shown on the plan. Belonging to the heirs of Cotton Tufts. See plan No. 16.

No. 19. CEDAR SWAMP SALT MARSH. About an acre and a quarter of Salt Marsh, bounded as shown on the plan, lower map. Estate of Cotton Tufts. See plan No. 16.

No. 20. PEARL STREET SALT MARSH. Two and a quarter acres of Salt Marsh, including three quarters of an acre of Woodland, bounded as shown on the plan. See plan No. 17.

No. 21. WOOD LOT IN BRAINTREE. Seventy-one and three-quarters acres of fine Woodland, covered with a vigorous growth, bounded as shown on the plan. Estate of Cotton Tufts. See plan No. 18.

No. 22. WOOD LOT IN QUINCY. Supposed to contain about Seventeen acres. Assessed by the town of Quincy at six hundred dollars.

No. 23. Pew 92 Union Meeting-House, Braintree.

No. 24. Pew 85, Stone Temple, Quincy, in the broad aisle, near the front.

No. 25. Pew 30, North Parish, in Weymouth.

No. 26. Also, a lot of Harnesses, Tools, etc.

Weymouth, July 16th, 1877.

☞ PLANS AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THE ESTATES have been published in pamphlet form, and the books may be seen at the following places:

Weymouth Landing.—Stores of F. Ambler, J. G. Worster, J. E. Johnson, M. H. Read, Wm. G. Thayer, Hunt & Co.; Gazette Office, Post Office, Railroad Depot, and S. W. Gutterson's residence.

North Weymouth.—At Stores of J. W. Bartlett, S. Blanchard and J. R. Orcutt.

East Weymouth.—At Stores of Z. L. Bicknell and B. F. Shaw, and at Canterbury & Haskell's manufactory.

Lovell's Corner.—L. C. Walker's Store.

South Weymouth.—At Stores of Wm. G. Nash, N. Stowell, Jos. Dyer, Elbridge Nash.

East Braintree.—Store of A. J. Bates & Co.

North Braintree.—At Railroad Depot and the Post Office.

South Braintree.—At Jona. French's and the Union Store.

Quincy.—At Store of S. F. Newcomb, Quincy Neck; at Post Office and E. Clapp's Store.

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Mortgagees' Sale
OF
REAL ESTATE.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by JOHN CURTIS, to David N. Wade, dated August 16th, A. D., 1875, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Norfolk, Lib. 470, fol. 50, will be sold at public auction, for breach of the conditions of the said mortgage, on the 18th day of August next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises; a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in South Weymouth village, bounded southerly by Pleasant Street; westerly and northerly, by land of Eri T. Joy, and easterly by land improved by D. Frank Reed, being the premises described in the said mortgage, together with all benefit and equity of redemption of the said John Curtis, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns therein.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

DAVID N. WADE, Mortgagee.

So. Weymouth, July 19th, 1877. 13 15

TOWN MEETING.

NORFOLK SS.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Weymouth, Greeting.

IN the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Weymouth qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town House, in said town,

On Tuesday, the Thirty-First day of July instant,

at four o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles.

1st. To choose a Moderator for said meeting.

2d. To hear the report of its Committee appointed at the meeting in May last, in relation to the Tufts estate on the corner of Washington and Commercial Streets, in said Weymouth, and act thereon.

3d. To see if the town will accept, for the use of a Public Library in this town, from Amos S. White and Milton H. Read, Trustees, a deed of certain Real Estate situated on the corner of Washington Street and Washington Square, in Weymouth, which was granted to said White and Read, in trust, for said use, by Susan Tufts, now deceased, by her deed dated October 8th, A. D. 1874, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 460, Page 231; and also to take any other action in relation to the care and protection of said estate, and the assertion and defence of its claim thereto which may be deemed expedient.

4th. To consider and take such action as may be deemed expedient, in relation to property bequeathed to the Town of Weymouth by the last Will and Testament of Quincy Tufts, late of Boston, now deceased.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof in three public places in each Ward of said Weymouth, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not to make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Weymouth, this twenty-third day of July, A. D. 1877.

JOHN W. BARTLETT,
NOAH VINING,
T. H. HUMPHREY,
WILLIAM NASH,
C. S. WILLIAMS,
} Selectmen of Weymouth.

A true copy:—Attest,
GEORGE W. WHITE, Jr.,
Constable of Weymouth.

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JOHN FORD,
T. J. McCORMICK.

Weymouth, July 17, 1877. 12 tf

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of a license from the Probate Court for the County of Norfolk, will be sold at auction on the premises, on SATURDAY, the fourth day of August next, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title and interest of which CHARLOTTE W. BATES, late of Weymouth, in said County, widow, deceased, testate, was seized and possessed at the time of her death, in and to so much of the following described real estate as will raise the sum of four hundred and sixty-three and 50-100 dollars, for the payment of her debts and charges of administration, to wit:—A certain lot of land, with the dwelling house thereon, situated in said Weymouth, and bounded easterly by Pleasant Street; southerly and westerly by land now or late of the heirs of Joseph Hawes, dec'd, and northerly by land of Mrs. Sally Pratt; and containing 2200 square feet, more or less.

Terms stated at the time and place of sale.

BRADFORD HAWES, Adm'r., with the Will annexed of the estate of Charlotte W. Bates.

Weymouth, July 19, 1877. 12 14

MISS R. A. WHITE,
DRESSMAKER.
ROOMS AT J. PIERCE'S, FOYES' BUILDING, REAR OF CENTRAL MARKET,
Weymouth Landing.
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Hon. Henry W. Paine, Boston. 11 16

NOTICE TO
TAX PAYERS.

ALL persons who voluntarily pay their whole tax on or before the 10th day of October next, will receive a discount of four per cent. And all taxes are due and payable on or before the 1st day of January next; and notice is hereby given that all taxes unpaid after the above dates will be committed to an officer for collection, and the legal fees and interest therefor will be added to the taxes of delinquents.

Due notice will be given to tax-payers of appointments for places in each Ward to receive Taxes.

ORAN WHITE, Treas'r. & Collector.

Weymouth, July 19, 1877.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk ss. Probate Court.

TO the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of CHARLOTTE W. BATES, late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased, Greeting:

Whereas BRADFORD HAWES, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell so much of the real estate of said deceased as will raise the sum of four hundred and sixty-three dollars and fifty cents, for the payment of debts and charges of administration:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third Wednesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this Citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper printed at Weymouth, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

9 11 J. H. COBB, Register.

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BRAINTREE DEPARTMENT.

The following items from our correspondent were received after the edition of last week was ready for printing.

Sunday afternoon a man named Thomas McGloughlin, in company with seven others from Randolph went out on Great Pond in a boat for the purpose of bathing. While they were in the water, McGloughlin, who could not swim, was missed by the others, and immediate search was made for him. The pond was dragged until eleven oclock before his body was found.

Monday night the town was visited by burglars who planned pretty extensive operations. They entered Mr. C. B. Woodsum's house first, unlocking the door with a pair of nippers. Here they took 35.00 in money and a watch valued at about $35.60. There was another pocket book containing a large sum of money, in another room, which they fortunately didn't find. T. B. Stoddard's house was next visited but nothing of value taken. Mr. Thomas Sampson's house was entered and Mrs. Sampson was much alarmed by seeing them in their chamber, the first intimation she had of their presence. She screamed and aroused Mr. S. when the scamps fled. The neighbors were alarmed but no trace of the burglars could be found. An agent with burglar alarms visited the town to-day and probably was well patronized on the principle of carefully shutting and barring the stable doors when once the horse is stolen.

Mr. Lewis Dyer, who has been for many years in charge of one of Mr. E. A. Hollingsworth's paper mills, had his arm broken about two weeks ago between two rollers, in the machinery.

Mr. Solon David killed a rattlesnake Tuesday measuring three feet and four inches with 12 rattles, near Mrs. Collins', on West St.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union hold a meeting in Armory Hall, Friday afternoon, July 20. In the report of the resolutions passed by the W. C. T. U., last week a mistake was made in the fifth resolution; it should read

Resolved, That we will continue to defend the right, whatever *sneers* or rebuffs we may encounter from those whose efforts tend to degrade rather than elevate humanity.

L. P. H.

EAST BRAINTREE.

The persons interested in Base Ball, in and about East Braintree, were treated to a grand Muffing game on Saturday, July 21st, on the Cricket field of the Boston Flax Mills. About one hundred spectators were on the field and a more unruly crowd or so small a party could not be found this side of Boston.

Haley pitched in his usual style, but the catcher having sore hands could not support him as well as he did in the first game; he however succeeded in putting out eight (8) men as the score will show. Haley and Griffin retired to the field at the end of the sixth inning, and Billings and P. Dowd took their places as pitcher and catcher, and did very well.

NONE SUCH.—*Score.*

Players.	AtBat.	Runs.	1st B. Hits.	Put Outs.	Asst.	Err's.
Flood, C.,	6	2	3	4	0	4
Hagney, P.,	6	1	1	3	2	0
Avery, 1st B.,	6	3	1	11	1	3
J. Dowd, 2d B.,	5	3	1	4	2	3
Mullarkey, 3d B.,	5	2	1	1	0	0
McDowell, S.S.,	5	3	2	0	4	3
M. Griffin, L. F.,	5	2	2	2	0	1
Ratcliffe, C. F.,	5	1	0	1	1	0
Loring, R. F.,	5	0	0	1	3	4
Totals.	48	17	10	27	13	18

FLYAWAYS.—*Score.*

Players	AtBat.	Runs.	1stB. Hits.	Put Out.	Asst.	Err's.
Griffin, C.,	5	3	2	8	3	7
Haley, P.,	4	2	2	0	3	4
Wm. Renn, 1stB.,	5	1	1	7	1	0
Billings, 2d B.,	2	1	1	5	1	5
Malony, 3d B.,	5	0	0	2	0	2
Flanagan, S. S.,	6	1	0	2	0	4
Horgan, L. F.,	6	0	0	0	0	3
P. Dowd, C. F.,	4	1	0	3	0	4
O'Hern, R.F.,	5	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	42	10	7	27	9	29

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
None Such.	4	0	4	0	5	2	0	1	1	—17
Flyaways.	4	2	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	—10

Scorer, J. Sharkey. *Umpire*, J. Dexhimer, Jr.

Time of game, 1.55.

Balls called on Hagney, 4, Haley, 13.

Strikes called on Hagney 2, Haley 4.

Struck out, Flanagan, P. Dowd, Hagney, Avery 3, J. Dowd, M. Griffin, Ratcliffe and Loring.

Bases on called balls, Hagney 2.

Two base hits, M. Griffin. Double plays Hagney and Avery, Ratcliffe and Avery. Left on base, None Such 4, Flyaways 4. Out on flys None Such 6, Flyaways 7.

ROCKLAND.

Excursion.

About one hundred members of the Cong'l Sabbath School participated in their annual excursion to Downer Landing on Thursday, the 19th inst. Mr. Wm. P. Nason was employed to convey them to and from the gardens, they occupying four large carriages and several small ones.—The day was heartily enjoyed, notwithstanding a severe shower while returning home.

Building.

Mr. Alden Bass is putting up a dwelling house on Market St., and Mr. Henry B. Arnold, a stable near his house on Pacific Street. The new house of Mr. Alonzo Lane is raised and begins to assume quite a stately appearance. Mr. E. T. Harvell framed his house the present week, and it is expected to be ready for occupancy in October.

Business.

Mr. Wm. Forbes, of this place, has contracted for the making of boots and shoes for Messrs. D. Gross & Co., of North Abington, thus giving employment to a few more workmen than previously.

Base Ball.

The King Phillips have given a better record of late and feel quite encouraged. On Wednesday, the 11th inst. they played a game with the Live Oaks, of Lynn, with a score of 3 to 2, (twelve innings,) in favor of the Live Oaks, and with the Beacons on the 21st inst, with a score of 1 to 0 in favor of the Beacons, the only score being on the eighth inning.

MAGNUS.

ABINGTON.

Base Ball.

The Blue Stockings of Braintree, who defeated the Bonanzas of this town a few weeks ago, were themselves vanquished last Saturday at the grounds in Braintree. Score 7 to 0.

Improvement.

The steeple of St. Bridget's church of this place is being remodelled and enlarged.

Excursions.

The Sabbath Schools are contemplating trips to the sea-shore, and many families have already domiciled themselves at Nantasket or Brant Rock, these seeming to be the favorite sea-side resorts of the county. Silver Lake, although it lacks many of the features of the ocean, attracts considerable attention, as will be attested by the long excursion trains which pass through here daily.

PARTRIDGE.

New Engine Company.

A paper is being circulated at North Weymouth, to obtain signatures for the organization of a new engine company, and about 20 names have been obtained. 40 names are wanted, when the list will be sent to the Selectmen for approval.

Social Choir Excursion.

About 75 residents of North and East Weymouth, with a few from Weymouth Landing, attended the excursion of the North Weymouth Social Choir to the Atlantic House, Nantasket, yesterday. The day was spent in a very agreeable manner, entertainment of vocal and instrumental music being provided by the Choir and Messrs. Robert F. and Arthur M. Raymond, pianists, in the drawing-room of the hotel. The company at 3 P. M., sat down to a sumptuous dinner furnished by Messrs. Damon, and returned at a seasonable hour in the evening.

Getting Better.

Mr. Frank Cowing, who was badly cut in the arm last week, is getting better, and expects to return to work next week.

Located.

One of the new reservoirs at East Weymouth has been located on Cottage street. The other will not be located at present.

Barbarous.

Mr. Walter L. Osborne has returned with his tonsorial implements, to his old stand on Commercial street, and will be pleased to meet any of his old friends.

Inquest.

The Court at Quincy had the matter of the death of James Corrigan, at East Braintree, before it last Tuesday, but Mrs. Corrigan was not present, having failed to make car connection, by accident, and the case was adjourned until today.

LITERARY NOTICES.

THE MIDSUMMER HOLIDAY SCRIBNER.—In pursuance of the custom introduced last year by SCRIBNER'S MONTHLY, the August number is issued as a special Midsummer Holiday number. Among the material put forth to vindicate this title are illustrated papers on the following subjects: "North American Grouse;" "Canadian Sports;" "A Railroad in the Clouds;" "The Old Boston Road;" "Talks on Strawberries;" "Adam and Eve at the Agricultural Fair;" "Some Japanese Melodies;" "Reflections" about the American authors. Other stories of a light character are "Smethurstses," by Mrs. Burnett, the author of "That lass o'Lowrie's;" "Swart among the Buckeyes," a study of Ohio village life; and a character-sketch, by Mary E. C. Wyeth, "Moses and Aaron." Poems adapted to the season are a "Madrigal;" by Edmund Clarence Stedman; "Summer Thoughts," by D. S. Foster; and "Guests," by Celia Thaxter. Bayard Taylor contributes an "Assyrian Night-Song;" and R. H. Stoddard a long poem entitled "Two Kings."

ST. NICHOLAS FOR AUGUST follows close upon the superb issue for May, that so fitly heralded the spring. It is a capital Midsummer Holiday number—a feature in children's magazines, which the St. Nicholas was the first to bring out. Specially adapted to the wants and longings that prevail in summer weather, it is full to the brim with refreshment and interest, and sparkles like cool water froma deep well. Its array of great and familiar names speaks of high quality as well as of variety and attractiveness.

Henry W. Longfellow, the foremost of American poets, has in this number a poem of which the form and spirit are alike admirable; Charles Dudley Warner contributes "John's First Party:" Celia Thaxter is represented by "Robin's Rain-Song;" H. H., by "Dream about Fairies;" Sarah Winter Kellogg by "The Swooping Eagle:" and Frank R. Stockton by "A Village of Wild Beasts." "Mr. Tompkins' Small Story," is by Abby Morton Diaz, and Aunt Fanny gives her recollections of the pranks and feats of a "Blue Coat Boy;" A Neapolitan tale, "The Coral-Fisher and His Wife," Kate Brownlee Horton; Mrs. C. E. Grozer's "Summer Ride in Labrador," two pictures by Sol Eytinge vividly reproducing the snowy chill of that frigid country; Prof. W. K. Brooks gives a peep at the birds and Prof. Richard A. Proctor his views on the Sea-Serpent, Mr. Trowbridge's serial story, "His Own Master," enters upon a most interesting stage, and into "Around the World on a Telegraph Wire," E. L. Bynner has managed to pack a full share of ST. NICHOLAS fun and frolic.

SUPPRESSION OF VAGRANCY IN ENGLAND.

WEYMOUTH UNION DISTRICT.

In the month of December, 1869, a "Mendicity Society" for the repression of professional vagrancy was established in Dorsetshire, England, and has been in successful operation ever since that date.—The number of applications for relief has been diminishing year by year, "the returns for 1875 showing a reduction of 78 per cent, as compared with 1869." A corresponding decrease of crime has been observed during the same period.

The general outline of the Dorset system is as follows: "In each Poor Law District a committee is formed, consisting of three magistrates and the same number of guardians. Shops are appointed at an average distance of five miles apart throughout the district, and at these places the tickets, which are freely distributed to magistrates, guardians, clergy, and the inhabitants generally, are exchangeable for one pound of bread. A supply of food is thus insured to vagrants by day, while a night's lodging can be had on application to the Union. The public are requested by circulars and placards not to give money, but a bread ticket, to wayfarers applying for relief. The tickets are collected by the constable of the district once a month, and the necessary funds are supplied by subscriptions limited to ten shillings a year."

Three months must elapse before a tramp can obtain another pound of bread at the same bake shop, but on the following day he can apply at the next place of delivery. Capt. Amyatt Brown, the secretary of the society, resides at Dorchester in Dorset, eight miles from Weymouth. The form of ticket distributed in the latter town reads as copied below.

DORSET MENDICITY SOCIETY.

Weymouth Union District.

One pound of bread will be given for this ticket, at Weymouth, (Mr. Burch, King Street;) at Abbotsbury, Chickerell, Osmington, Portland, Upway, and at any of the places of relief in the adjoining Unions. (Reverse side of ticket.)

The shopkeeper is only to give one pound of bread for any number of tickets presented by the same vagrant. Persons living in the same neighborhood are not to be supplied with bread under any circumstances. The shopkeeper to fill in the ticket as below.

Name of Vagrant,

Date,

A Word in Season.

Pay your mechanic a good price if you desire a good job, and be sure that you pay it to your home mechanic. Do not send abroad for an article that can just as well be manufactured by your neighbor and fellow townsman, the industrious and worthy mechanic. He has a right to claim your patronage. He pays taxes, helps to support schools, assists to sustain preaching and build churches, and is a live, active member of the community.

He lightens your burdens, spends the money he earns by honest industry for the support of his family, among those who patonize him. He has a right, if he is a good workman and citizen, to expect your aid and patronage, for you are each dependent upon the other as citizens of the same place.

IT HAS STOOD THE TEST.

If you doubt the wonderful success of SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE, give it a trial; then if you are not perfectly satisfied, return the bottle and we will refund the price paid. It has established the fact that Consumption can be cured, while for Coughs, Hoarseness, Asthma, Whooping Cough, and all Lung and Throat troubles, there is nothing like it for a quick and positive cure, and it seldom fails. 10 cents, 50 cents, and $1.00 per bottle. If your Lungs are sore, or Chest or Back lame, use SHILOH'S POROUS PLASTER. Price 25 cents. Sold by FRANCIS AMBLER, WEYMOUTH, MASS.

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A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to the druggist, Alfred Wyman, Weymouth Landing, and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it. Sample bottles 10 cents.

Marriages and Deaths.

DIED.

In Weymouth, July 20, FREDDIE J., son of Jesse H. and Lizzie A. Pierce, aged 4 mos. 7 ds.

In East Weymouth, July 21, MARY SNOW, wife of Bradford Y. Knight, aged 26 yrs., 1 m. 21 days.

In East Weymouth, July 23, ALFRED H., son of James A. and Mary Ellen Dee, aged 3 years, 11 months, 5 days.

In East Weymouth, July 25, MARGARET EMMA, daughter of William H. and Joanna Moran, aged 3 years, 7 days.

In South Weymouth, July 26, of consumption, MARY LOUISA, daughter of Loring and Lousia Maria Tirrell, aged 18 years, 9 months, 8 days.

In Elmira, N. Y., July 14, FREDERICK B. COLSON, aged 35 years, 11 months, 13 days. Formerly of Weymouth, a member of the 1st Mass. Cav.

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ASK YOUR GROCER FOR

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AND HAND

MINERAL SOAP.

The Best Soap ever Introduced for Cleaning and Polishing Tin, Copper, Metals, Knives and Forks. For Cleansing and Restoring Paint. it has no equal in the Market.

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WOOD AND HAY,

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LYKENS VALLEY FRANKLIN COAL,		$5.50
DIAMOND RED ASH	"	5.25
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NORTH FRANKLIN RED ASH	"	5.25
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" " EGG	"	4.25
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For Sale at Lowest Cash Rates.

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A Full Stock of the Purest

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ALWAYS ON HAND.

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VERY PLEASANT TO TAKE AND PERFECTLY SAFE IN ITS ACTION.

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FOR THIRTY-FIVE CENTS

per package; sufficient to make three pints of a SUPERIOR BITTER TONIC AND SPRING MEDICINE. If you are feeling debilitated and weak, and your appetite poor, try a package of the Compound. Full directions on each label. Will be sent by mail, if desired.

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FLUID EXT. OF JAMAICA GINGER.

Will refund the price to every person who says it is not the BEST AND CHEAPEST Extract of Ginger they ever bought.

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STILL LOWER!

WIRE CLOTH

For Window and Door Screens,

will be sold this season at

GEO. S. BAKER'S,

WEYMOUTH LANDING,

For six cents per foot.

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NOTICE TO ROAD BUILDERS.

SEALED Proposals for building the widenings of Middle St., in the town of Weymouth, will be received at the office of the Selectmen of said town, until the 30th day of JULY inst., at 3 o'clock P. M. Specifications may be seen with T. H. Humphrey. The selectmen reserve the right to reject any and all proposals which may be received.

JOHN W. BARTLETT, NOAH VINING, T. H. HUMPHREY, WILLIAM NASH, C. S. WILLIAMS, } Selectmen of Weymouth.

Weymouth, July 18, 1877. 12 13

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Assessors of the Town of Weymouth hereby give notice that they have delivered to ORAN WHITE, Collector of Taxes, a correct list of the taxes, together with a warrant in due form of law for collecting the same, and that by a vote of the Town, to all persons who shall voluntarily pay the Collector their *whole* tax, on or before the 10th day of OCTOBER next, a discount of four per cent. will be made on the amount of their taxes.

ELIAS RICHARDS, NOAH VINING, W. W. RAYMOND, ORAN WHITE, C. T. ROBBINS, } Assessors of Weymouth.

Weymouth, July 9th, 1877.

Administrator's Sale.

WILL be sold by order of the Probate Court, at Public Auction, on the premises, on SATURDAY, 28th inst., at one o'clock P. M., all the Real Estate of SIMEON SMITH, late of Weymouth, deceased, to pay the just debts of said Smith, with incidental charges.

Said Real Estate consists of about one-fourth of an acre of Land, with a Dwelling-House and Barn standing thereon, situated on an Avenue leading out of Pond Street, near the residence of Edwin Northey, of Weymouth, and near the South Weymouth Depot.

ADSON H. BELCHER, Adm'r.

Weymouth, July 10, 1877. 11 13

Soft Rubber Urinals.

Soft and Hard Rubber Bed Pans,

A PRACTICAL INVENTION,

RELIEF FOR THE SUFFERING,

SOMETHING NEW AND CONVENIENT,

THESE article are for the use and comfort of both sexes; can be used upon all occasions;—during long marches, in dense crowds, &c. &c. They are a comfort to infants, and a relief to Mothers.

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Send stamp for Circulars. 6 t f

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SCISSORS AND SHEARS sharpened in the best manner, at

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Botanic Bitters

THE GREATEST SPRING AND SUMMER

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These Bitters are the most popular medicine ever offered for the cure of

DYSPEPSIA, BILIOUSNESS, COLIC, DIARRHŒA, FEEBLE APPETITE,

And all sickness arising from the STOMACH.

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BLOOD PURIFIER

THEY ARE UNEQUALLED.

Thousands who have been benefited by them testify to their worth. For Sale Everywhere.

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Are now prepared to furnish all kinds of first-class Pictures, including the new style Cabinet, with accessories.

We have great success with Pictures of

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And pay particular attention to this branch of business.

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Persons having old Pictures which they wish to have copied, can have the work done in the very best manner and with promptness.

Please call and examine specimens.

Pepectfully yours,

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JUST RECEIVED, A FRESH SUPPLY OF

Herds Crass,

Blue do.,

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Persons in want of Grass Seeds will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

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FULL line of Agricultural Implements for sale at very low prices by S. W. PRATT.

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JUST received, a full stock of Enameled Kettles, Sauce Pans, Wash Bowls, &c., direct from the manufacturers, which will be sold much cheaper than at any other place. These goods are the only safe ones to use for cooking purposes.

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For sale at half price.

THE subscriber now offers for sale TEN PEWS IN THE FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH at Weymouth Landing, for one half of the original valuation for the whole lot.

JOHN O. FOYE.

June 1st, 1877. 5 tf

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Established 1858.

ON opening the trade for the year 1877, we make the following announcement;

ITALIAN MARBLE SHELVES,	62 1-2 cents per foot.
ITALIAN MARBLE SHELVES,	70 cents per foot.
ITALIAN MARBLE SHELVES,	75 cents per foot.
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At Low Prices.

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Parties wishing to consult in regard to work, by sending me a postal card will be called on by Mr. WM. H. WILD, my gentlemanly agent, and no one need feel under any obligations to buy, unless perfectly satisfied with styles and prices.

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100 PATTERS, 300 SHADING. Suitable for Room^s, Halls and Stairs.

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Extra Superfines, 95c. Usual Price $1.15. | Superfines, 85c. Usual Price $1.00.

A choice selection of the above, exquisitely colored, peculiarly adapted to the trade of this city. ONE PXICE ONLY. Selling Carpets made by us, all intermediate profit is saved in buying direct. Hall and Church Carpets a specialty. Goods guaranteed as represented, or the money refunded.

PECIAL LINE OF TAPESTRY at $1.00. Samples sent by mail, if desired.

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HAS just opened, at his NEW SHOP ON BROAD STREET, EAST WEYMOUTH, A

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Where can be found MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S

FINE BOOTS AND SHOES

Also, Boots and Shoes made to order. Repairing a Specialty.

CHEAP FOR CASH.

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WEYMOUTH LANDING.

THE subscriber will open his new Hotel at Weymouth Landing, near the Depot, on the 17th of June, for the accommodation of the public, and respectfully solicits their patronage. The house has been fitted and furnished throughout with new furniture, bedding and carpets, and every effort will be made to provide for the comfort of guests.

A Restaurant is connected with the house, where refreshments can be obtained at all hours of the day or night.

EXTENSIVE STABLING FACILITIES will also be furnished, with accommodation for one hundred horses.

An elegant YACHT has been engaged for the season, under the charge of an experienced skipper, and parties desiring a pleasant sail down the River can be accommodated at short notice.

D. WHITE.

Weymouth, June 1st, 1877. 5 tf

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THE subscriber now offers for sale his block of four

DWELLING HOUSES,

on Rockville, Weymouth Landing. These houses are two stories high, all in one block, and are convenient for small families, were painted and repaired during the past year and are now in good order. The location one of the best in town to let. The price will be made low and the terms easy. Also, TWO WOOD LOTS in South Weymouth.

JOHN O. FOYE.

June 1st, 1877. 5 tf

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New Shop! New Business!

THE subscriber would inform his many friends and the public, that on and after FEBRUARY 8, 1877, he may be found at his

NEW SHOP ON BROAD STREET.

Having secured the services of a

First Class Carriage Builder,

I am prepared to fill all orders for

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AT SHORT NOTICE & REASONABLE RATES.

Neatness! Cheapness! Dispatch!

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SPRING TONIC

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As an Electric Physician makes PILES, NERVOUS, UTERINE and KIDNEY diseases specialties. She calls the attention of those suffering from Inflammation and Irritation of the Kidneys and Bladder, Incontinence of Urine, to her

Hygienic Compound,

She now gives to the public. Having used it successfully during ten years' practice, she knows whereof she speaks, and so will EVERY ONE who uses it as directed.

All orders must be sent to her office, where also may be found Ladies' Abdominal Supporters, (her invention,) Elastic Bands and Goods, Urinals for both sexes, Syringes. Office, 28 WINTER ST., Room 16, BOSTON, MASS. Send for Circulars

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Meats and Provisions,

G. R. DAVIS,

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Now is the time for those who want Fresh Goods.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND A CHOICE LOT OF

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Lard, Hams, Butter, Cheese, Turkeys, Chickens, Vegetables, Fruit, Beans, &c.

GEORGE R. DAVIS.

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No. 4 PARK SQUARE, BOSTON,

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where he may be found daily, from 1 to 3 o'clock P.M.

☞ Dr. Fifield's residence is still at Harrison Square. 2 1y

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THE subscriber begs leave to announce to the public that he has opened a

Line of Spring Goods,

FOR

Gentlemen's Wear,

and keeps constantly on hand a fine assortment of

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in the line of BROADCLOTHS, CASSIMERES, DOESKINS, &c. Every description of TRIMMINGS of the best quality, constantly on hand.

The people of Weymouth, Braintree, Hingham, Randolph, Stoughton and Brockton, are invited to call, as my prices will be found as low, if not lower, than at any other establishment. Goods will be made up by first-class workmen, in the most artistic style.

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Blacksmithing AND Carriage Work,

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EMPIRE Clothes Wringer, the only Wringer that will not get out of repair in a short time.

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Agent for the celebrated Howe Sewing Machines, is prepared to supply

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with machines of every style of finish, on easy terms.

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MEETINGS OF THE

Selectmen & Overseers of Poor.

THE Selectmen of Weymouth will be in session at the Town House, every Monday during the municipal year, from two to five o'clock P. M.; and the Overseers of the Poor will meet at the Alms House on the second Tuesday of each month, at two o'clock P. M.

JOHN W. BARTLETT, NOAH VINING, T. H. HUMPHREY, WILLIAM NASH, C. S. WILLIAMS, } SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR OF WEYMOUTH.

Weymouth, March 6, 1877.

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Having greater facilities and enjoying a more extensive patronage than any similar institution in the United States, offers superior advantages for requiring a thorough

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Parents contemplating placing their children in this school are notified that

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Are being made for the reception of an unusually large number of new pupils at the beginning of the

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And application for admission at that time should be made without delay.

Interviews may be had with the Principal DAILY, at the School Building, from 9 till 2. Catalogue of teachers and pupils, and prospectus of study post free, by addressing

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THE subscriber thanks his friends for their patronage in the line of Insurance against loss by fire. He is an authorized Agent for the

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He will be happy to obtain Insurance upon any property in this region,

At the Lowest Rates,

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A perfectly safe and certain remedy for DIARRHŒA, DYSENTERY, CHOLERA MORBUS, PAINS IN THE STOMACH AND BOWELS, AND ALL SUMMER COMPLAINTS.

Trial Size, 25 Cts. Regular Size, 50 Cts.

We have prepared a preparation for the relief and cure of ASTHMA, which we think is a very superior article, which we have for sale at 20 cts. per ounce.

FULL LINE OF

Patent Medicines,

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NEW stock of Table Cutlery at prices that defy competition, by S. W. PRATT.

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WE have been in business at the New Stove Store three years, and have never disappointed man, woman, or child. Please don't engage us to do a job unless you expect us to be on time, every time. 5 tf JOSEPH I. BATES.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber has been duly appointed Executrix of the Will of LIVIA D. WILD, late of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk, widow, deceased, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon ... required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LIVIA A. WILD, Executrix.

Braintree, June 13, 1877. 912

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OF BEST QUALITY, AND AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

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THE celebrated Cucumber Wood Pumps, for sale by S. W. PRATT.

C. AHLF,

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REPAIRING done in the best manner, and at SHORT NOTICE.

☞ I make a WHEEL, which I will warrant to

Give Perfect Satisfaction.

MACHINE WHEELS furnished as desired.

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FAMILIES, 25 cents per hundred lbs.

STORES &C., OVER $25, 18 cents per hundred lbs.

" " under " 20 " " "

Customers wishing Ice before that time, by notifying us by mail or otherwise, will receive prompt attention.

Families commencing on or after July 1, will be charged 30 cents per 100 lbs.

Bills payable monthly.

A. & C. HOLLIS.

South Weymouth, May 1st, 1877. 1 13

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FALLING SICKNESS

Permanently Cured—no humbug—by one month's usage of Dr. Goulard's Celebrated Infallible Fit Powders. To convince sufferers that these powders will do all we claim for them we will send them by mail, post paid, a free Trial box. As Dr. Goulard is the only physician that has ever made this disease a special study, and as to our knowledge thousands have been permanently cured by the use of these Powders, we will guarantee a permanent cure in every case, or refund you all money expended. All sufferers should give these Powders an early trial, and be convinced of their curative powers.

Price, for a large box, $3.00, or four boxes for $10.00, sent by mail to any part of United States or Canada on receipt of price or by express, C. O. D. Address,

ASH & ROBBINS,

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Takes pleasure in informing the public and his friends, that he has leased the well known premises formerly occupied by G. H. LANE & Co.,

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for the purpose of conducting the manufacture and sale of

MEN'S,

BOYS

AND

Children's

CLOTHING.

Twenty years experience, both in wholesale and retail, in the above line, justifies me in assuring the public that every effort on my part will be made to meet their wants.

I will offer the following as a specialty:

200 prs.

MEN'S

Working Pants

at $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00.

200

Men's Sack Suits,

$5.00, $6.00, $7.00 and $8.00.

100

Men's Worsted

FROCKS AND VESTS,

for $10.00, 12.00, and 14.00.

These goods are imported, well made and trimmed.

100 Men's All Wool

CASSIMERE

PANTS!

both of American and Foreign fabric, for $2.00, $3.00 and $4.00.

ALSO,

25

Boys School Suits,

at $3.50.

200 Boys School Pants,

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500

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SUITS,

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In addition to the above we have just received a LARGE AND COMPLETE LINE OF

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Blue Flannel Suits,

Color warranted pure indigo, which we will offer lower than any house in Boston. Our line of Spring Suitings is now complete, and we ask your kind inspection before ...

In addition to the above, I shall at all times offer a stock of

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CLOTHING

EQUAL TO ANY HOUSE IN THE CITY!

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Philipps, Shuman & Co.

31 & 32 Dock Square,

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☞ A. H. TIRRELL, of Weymouth, is connected with this house, and will be happy to receive his friends who may be in want of Clothing.

Not too Late yet!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO HAVE YOUR

CLOTHING

CUSTOM MADE!

☞ ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. ☞

Particular attention given to

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MATTHEW J. RYAN,

WASHINGTON SQUARE,

OVER C. S. WILLIAMS' DRY GOODS STORE,

WEYMOUTH LANDING.

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MASSACHUSETTS MANUFACTURES.

The second volume of the Census of Massachusetts is just published, and may be considered the most important and valuable of the set, containing as it does, information in relation to "Manufactures and Occupations." The total products of the mechanical industries of the State are $592,331,962, from 22,228 establishments, on a capital invested of $282,683,718. Of the number of establishments given, 10,915 come within the classification of manufactures purely, and 11,313 under that of occupations. The capital invested in 1865 was $174,361,496; a gain in 1875, of $108,322,222. The total product of mechanical industries in 1865 was 429,906,046; a gain in 1875, of 162,425,916. But these figures are in currency, gold in 1865 being at 1.57, and in 1875 at 1.12. Reduced to a gold basis in both years the products of manufactures in 1865 were 273,825,507; in 1885, 528,867,823; gain, 255,042,316; or 93 per cent. on a gold basis. The importance of the great corporations is seen in the fact that of the whole number of establishments, 22,228, less than 700 control about 165,000,000 of the whole capital (282,683,718) invested in mechanical industries, leaving about 21,500 establishments with a capital of 118,000,000.

The following table, shows the seventeen most important industries, taking only those in which goods to the amount of 5,000,000 are produced annually. The figures indicate the annual production in each.

Manufactures.	Annual Product.	Persons Employed.
Boots and Shoes,	89,375,792	48,090
Cotton Goods,	77,934,753	60,176
Food Preparations	44,633,984	4,672
Woolen Goods,	39,566,378	19,036
Metals and Metallic goods,	37,884,873	17,563
Clothing,	29,340,962	13,702*
Leather,	23,680,775	6,620
Machines and Machinery,	16,399,230	9,561
Paper,	15,602,599	6,493
Printing and Publishing,	12,120,674	4,360
Liquors and Beverages,	8,967,140	879
Furniture,	8,422,883	6,674
Carpetings,	6,190,239	3,119
Straw and Palm Leaf Goods,	5,922,345	5,004†
Oils and illuminating Fluids,	5,838,889	673
Musical Instruments and Materials,	5,504,030	2,249
Rubber and Elastic goods,	5,316,282	2,195

*To this should be added 9,249 women, working at home.

†To this should be added 14,762 women, working on these goods at their homes,

The manufacture of textile fabrics, and of leather and boots and shoes, comprise nearly one-half the total value of all the goods made in the States.

RHODODENDRON SWAMP.

The swamp which bears this beautiful flower is situated in the southerly part of Medfield, near the meadows in the valley of the Charles river, and is almost inaccessible on account of the dense thicket. The flower is quite rare and is eagerly sought for by hundreds of visitors every season, who come from different parts of the country, and oftentimes from a distance of fifty miles they have been known to come or send for a bunch of these rare and ornamental flowers. They blossom fully about the last of June into a full and well rounded flower, lasting for a number of days without showing any signs of decay. After they begin to fall they all leave the stem quickly. They are a very hardy and vigorous shrub and easily taken care of. We believe that this is the only section of New England where they grow spontaneously and are found so plentifully. The shrub is not we believe a native of this country, but is known to have existed in China at an early period long before it was known to exist in this country. The bud previous to putting forth greatly resembles the young pine apple in looks as the thick blades shoot out lapping each other in nearly the same similarity of growth. After the buds have developed they soon burst forth into a gradual beautiful flower. The flower in full bloom is very attractive and pleasing to the eye, but inodorous, and is highly prized for its beautiful and delicate appearance. The color of it is very fine, showing the exquisite pencilings and tracery of nature's art in the various tints so attractive and pleasing to those who have a fondness for the beautiful and delightful study of flowers.

SWEDISH ARTIFICIAL LEATHER.

The following novel process for making artificial leather is said to be employed to some extent in Sweden: It consists in taking leather waste—cuttings, shavings, or other small bits of the material, either new or old—and reducing them to a pulp, by hand or machine process, first cleaning the waste thoroughly, in case it be old. This pulp is then kneaded with India rubber, which is rendered fluid, or dissolved in oil or spirits, and treated with ammonia. It is found preferable to dissolve the India rubber in oil of turpentine, and, to effect this, the rubber is cut into pieces and mixed with the oil, and then allowed to remain undisturbed in a closed vessel until the dissolution is accomplished. When the rubber is thus dissolved, ammonia is added, of the strength of thirty per cent., in the proportion of about equal parts, by weight, of ammonia to the rubber contained in the solution; when of a grayish-white color it is ready to be mixed with the pulp.

— The Colorado beetle, in every stage of development, was discovered in a potato field in the vicinity of Cologne in Germany.

ELEVATIONS.

As a means of understanding the choice of altitudes to be had in Colorado, we subjoin a table of the elevations of the leading places and points of interest:—

Station.	Feet.
Ute Pass	11,200
Poncho Pass	8,600
Sangre de Christo Pass	9,396
Fort Garland, (railroad pass)	8,365
San Luis Valley	6,400
Del Norte	7,900
Saguache	7,746
Gray's Peak	14,251
Long's Peak	14,050
Mt. Lincoln	14,183
Pike's Peak	14,336
Uncompahgre Mt.	14,540
Mt. Sultan	13,336
Mt. Galena	13,292
Eureka	9,000
Ouray	6,000
Sierra Blanca Peak,	14,400
Mt. Wilson	14,280
Mt. Sneffels	4,2581
Mt. Canby	13,274
Pass east of Mt. Sultan	10,460
Pass west of Mt. Sultan	11,570
Mineral Creek Pass	11,098
Lake Fork Pass	12,540
Cunningham Pass	12,500
Silverton	9,400
Howardsville	9,700
Animas Forks	11,200
Mineral City	11,500
Los Pinos Agency	9,280
Animas City	6,850
Pagosa Springs	6,800
Canon City	4,700
Colorado Springs	5,975
Denver	5,317
Divide	7,554
Estes' Park	7,528
Fairplay	9,704

BITS OF FUN.

The worst spectacle of rage, astonishment, and disappointment we ever saw was that of a couple of dogs trying to fight with their muzzles on.—*Rochester Democrat.* It makes a man feel madder than a nest of June bugs to dance a hornpipe in front of a lady on the street three minutes before he can control himself so as to let her pass without a collision.—*Erie Dispatch.*—The long stalks of wheat sent to newspaper offices every spring should be carefully preserved and presented to summer resort hotels. Short straws and low counters are making the tall young men of our best society roundshouldered.—*Norristown Herald.* A Chinaman became the father of an American born son, and as he danced about swinging his pigtail, he said:—"Me Melican man, all samee. Me heap Washington. Me lightning-rod agent. Go 'way. Whoopee!"—*San Francisco Chronicle.* "Papa," asked a boy, "What is meant by Paradise?"—"Paradise, my son," replied the father, "Is the latter part of summer, when your mother goes on a visit to your grandfather!"—*Indianapolis Journal.* Gigantic Footman: "Did you ring, ma'am?" Tender-hearted and impulsive Lady: "Yes, Thomas. You see this poor kitten the children have found? It is motherless. Get some milk Thomas; mew like its mother, and feed it.—*Punch.*

Desirable quarters: silver ones.

The bump of destructiveness: a railway collision.

Authors *meet* to read: HOGG, BACON, and LAMB.

Does a person lose his sense of touch when he don't feel well?

A country editor, in his financial article, says: "Money is close, but not close enough to reach."

Something a rich man always wants and a poor man always has? Nothing.

To what length may a widow go when she desires a new parent for her children? She may go one step-father!

Willie was disputing with his sister. "It is *true*," he said firmly; "for mother says so, and if she says so it is *so*, if it *ain't* so."

Lady visitor—"My dear do you know if your mamma is engaged?" Little girl of the period—"Engaged? Bless you, why she's married."

When Sheridan was asked at an amateur play which performer he liked best, he replied: "The prompter; for I saw less and heard more of him than any one else."

Early to ryes and late to bed: the toper.

How to take life easy: be careless with coal-oil.

— The Mayor and Aldermen of Louisville officially requested that the day of horse racing near that city be observed as a holiday, and that all business be suspended. The clergymen have published a protest, and there is a hot conflict of public opinion.

— The Burlington Hawkeye says a man named Rodolph Khanew was arrested last night for slapping his wife. We suppose he thought a man had a right to paddle his own Khanew.

— A murderer escaped from the jail at Somerset, Ky., by eloping with the Sheriff's daughter.

— A war map fell into the hands of a Chicago woman. She thought it was a pattern, and tried to cut a chemise by it.

— In the New Orleans Cotton Exchange the other day it was announced that a brother of a prominent member would visit the Exchange in state. An *ursus Americanus*, commonly known as a black bear, was driven to the door of the Exchange and assisted to alight and enter. His stay was short, and he seemed strangely uninterested. Now it is said some one is to retaliate with a short-horn bull.

—A young grocer in Newark, while looking over a barrel of eggs, found written on one the following verses:—

"If this you see, young man,
Write just as soon as you can,
And let me hear from my favorite egg;
This great boon I humbly beg."

The signature of Julia Brierson, Westfield, O., was attached. The grocer wrote to her, she replied, they exchanged photographs, they became mutually interested, and recently were married.

— There is a bit of fashionable intelligence from the Kansas City Times: "The daughter of Mr. Proddy, of Twelfth street, has returned to her father's house from a visit East, and oh! how many fond and foolish boys rejoice over that Proddy gal's return."

In Dubuque, Iowa, one woman who owns several house lots, and another who has a good bank account have been receiving money all along from the county. In St. Paul a woman purchasing a valuable lot of a real estate dealer asked that nothing should be said about it in the newspapers, as she was "getting a little aid from the county."

— The sum total of the jubilee offerings to the Pope is estimated, on good authority, at $3,000,000.

A good suggestion is like a crying baby at a concert. It ought to be carried out.

— As the Rev. Edward Allen was alighting from a carriage in London, after attending the burial of his father, a young woman handed him a baby and said, "Here's your child—take care of it." He had considerable trouble in getting himself free from scandal, but he did it, and the woman was imprisoned for a month.

— There is an end to everything but the destruction which follows the course of a man's big toe when he gets it through a hole in the bed-quilt and is suddenly attacked by the nightmare.

— There are at least six persons in New York City engaged in the purchase of superfluous wedding presents, three of whom deal exclusively in a certain class of articles. One of these dealers carries on business in the Bowery, where he has a large store ostensibly for the sale of unredeemed pledges, but his most lucrative business is in the purchase and sale of wedding presents that are only so much old lumber to the owners.

— A burlesque funeral over the remains of a miner, in which clergyman and mourners were personated, is the most recent act of profanity recorded as occurring in the Black Hills.

— One of the firemen at a recent fire in the western part of the state, when he found the hose not long enough to reach from the hydrant to the burning building, called, in his excitement, for the men to "bring up the hydrant."

Up country mosquitoes are preparing for their summer receptions, and they all know how to put in a long bill.

The Russians speak feelingly of the army being impeded by the "alluvial formations" of the Lower Danube.—On the Rappahannock they used to call it stuck in the mud.

The bashful man who asked his girl if her favorite beverage wasn't "pop" was referred to her popper.

One stray Western grasshopper wandered out this way lately and struck a Boston suburban bean patch. When he got through he lay quietly down, repented of his misdeeds, read a chapter from Emerson, and, with a Boston girl soothing his forehead, passed calmly away into oblivion.—[Puck.

A great deal of disappointmen is felt among western dealers because the Turks and Russians do not eat more flour. Not much fighting is going on, and it would be no more than neighborly for the warriors to eat an extra meal now and then, and give a lift to their friends on this side of the water.—[Rome Sentinel.

John Smith wants to know how he shall sign his name to prevent getting mixed up with others of that ilk.—Some people adopt the plan of adding "2d," "3d," etc.; but the right appendix for Mr. Smith, would be "1,634,781,12th" or thereabouts, and even then he would run some risk of being mistaken for another John Smith.

WHY HE WAS HANGING ON.

One was a parcel boy and the other a cash boy, and as they halted under an awning for a minute the parcel boy asked: "Do you get the same old wages yet?" "Yes, just the same." "Havn't you been presented with a watch or a cane, as a token of esteem?" "No—not a thing." "Don't the boss ever ask you over to a Sunday dinner?" "Not a one." "Never comes around and asks your advice about the markets?" "Never." "And he hasn't got a daughter to fall in love with you and suicide if she can't marry you?" "No." "Well I don't see why you stay there. It must be awful humiliating to a boy of your temperament." "So it is—it's just awful on me, but I'm hanging on in hopes of finding a five-dollar bill on the floor and buying all the rock candy I can eat. Seems as if I could taste it now—yum—good bye. Few people know how we boys suffer day after day."

A RELIC.

The Houston (Texas) Telegraph says that among the bunting displayed on the Fourth to grace the day and testify to the general rejoicing in the city, was the flag of the late United States ship-of-war, the Harriet Lane. It will be remembered the Lane was captured by the Confederates in the battle off Galveston, on New Year's day, 1863, and the flag she then bore was of course taken with her. It has come into the possession of our townsman, Mr. J. R. Morris, and floated from the front of his building on Main street, in honor of the national festival. May it never again wave over a divided country.

— Philadelphia's vagrant dogs are kept a few days in the pound, and then, if no one claims and pays for them, they are thrown into a small two-story brick building in which charcoal fires are started, the doors and windows are closed tight, and in three or four minutes they die of asphyxia.

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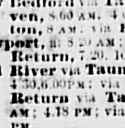

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JUNE 25, 1877.

TRAINS LEAVE BOSTON FOR

New York, at 4.30 and 6.00 PM. **Return** 5.00 PM.
New Bedford via **Taunton,** 3.30 PM; via **Fairhaven,** 8.00 AM. 4.00 PM **Return** via **Taunton,** 8 AM; via **Fairhaven,** 7.20 AM. 2.40 PM.
Newport, at 8.20 AM; 12.00 M; 3.30, 6 (boat) PM.—**Return,** 7.20, 10.40 AM; 3.45 PM.
Fall River via **Taunton,** 8.20 AM; 12.00 M; 3.30, 4.30, 6.00 PM; via **Bridgewater,** 8.00 AM; 4 PM. **Return** via **Taunton,** 5.30*h*, 6.50, 8, 11.20 AM; 4.18 PM; via **Bridgewater,** 8.50 AM; 3.15 PM.
Taunton, 8.20 AM; 12 M; 3.30, 4.30, 6*f* PM. **Return** 7.33, 8.45 AM; 12 M; 5 PM.
North Easton, Stoughton, Randolph, 8.20 AM; 12 M; 3.30, 4.30, 6.05 PM. **Return, North Easton,** 6.52, 7.58, 9.05 AM; 12.25, 5.22 PM. **Return, Stoughton,** 6.59, 8.07, 9.12 AM; 12.33, 5.29 PM. **Return, Randolph,** 7.10, 8.16, 9.19 AM; 12.45, 5.37 PM.
Middleboro, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 3.32, 4, 6.05 PM.—**Return,** 6.10, 7.20, 9.15 AM; 12.20, 4.13, 6.24 PM.
Bridgewater, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 12 M; 3.32, 4, 5, 6.05 PM. **Return,** 6.30, 7.58, 9.32 AM; 12.37, 4.36, 6.43 PM.
Brockton, 7.30, 8, 11.15 AM; 1.50, 3.32, 4, 6.05 PM. **Return,** 6.54, 8, 9.47 AM; 12.58, 3.16, 5.7.02 PM.
Plymouth via **Abington,** 8 AM; 2.30, 4, 5 PM; via **Duxbury,** 7.45 AM; 3.30, 5.30*g* PM. **Return** via **Abington,** 6.30, 7.40, 11 AM; 3.40 PM; via **Duxbury,** 8.40 AM; 4.20 PM.
East Bridgewater, 8.00 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 5 PM.—**Return** 6.55, 9.53 AM; 3.05 PM.
South Abington, 8 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 5, 6.15 PM.—**Return,** 6.15, 7.12, 10.10, 11.36 AM; 4.15 PM.
South Weymouth, 8 AM; 12 M; 2.30, 4, 5, 6.15 PM. **Return,** 6.34, 7.32, 10.30, 11.55 AM; 4.34 PM.
South Duxbury, 7.45 AM; 3.30, 5.30 PM. **Return,** 7, 9.01 AM; 4.40 PM.
Cohasset, Hingham, Weymouth and East Weymouth, 7.45, 11.15 AM; 2.30, 3.30, 5.30, 6.15 PM **Return, Cohasset,** 6.44, 7.48, 9.50 AM; 1.16, 4.05, 5.40 PM. **Return, Hingham,** 6.57, 7.53, 10.03 AM; 1.29, 4.20, 5.55 PM. **Return, East Weymouth,** 7.07, 8.05, 10.12 AM; 1.39, 4.30, 6.06 PM. **Return, Weymouth,** 7.16, 8.14, 10.21 AM; 1.49, 4.40, 6.17 PM.
Nantasket, 7.45, 11.15 AM; 2.30, 5.30, 6.15 PM.—**Return,** 6.51, 9.57 AM; 1.23, 4.14, 5.48 PM.
South Braintree, 6.45, 7.30, 8, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50, 11.15 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4*f*, 4.05, 4.30, 5, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return** 5.55, 6.44, 7.19, 7.25, 7.42, 8.20, 8.50, 9.32, 10.41 AM; 12.04, 12.53, 1.20, 1.52, 3.42, 4.45, 4.55, 5.21, 5.45, 7.18, 8.25, 10.20 PM.
Braintree, 6.45, 7.30, 7.45, 8, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50, 11.15*f* AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.30, 3.32, 4.05, 5, 5.30, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6, 6.48, 7.25, 7.30, 7.45, 7.47, 8.21, 8.55, 9.36, 10.30, 10.45 AM; 12.57, 1.59, 3.47, 4.51, 4.59, 5.48, 6.27, 8.28, 10.24 PM.
Quincy, 6.45, 7.30, 7.45, 8.20, 9.30, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6.06, 6.54, 7.30, 7.36, 7.52, 8.26, 8.37, 9.01, 9.42, 10.36 AM; 12.11, 1.02, 2.06, 3.55, 4.56, 5.05, 5.54, 6.34, 7.25, 8.34, 10.30 PM.
Wollaston Heights, 6.45, 7.30, 9.30, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5.32, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6.10, 6.58, 7.40, 7.55, 9.05, 9.46, 10.39 AM; 1.04, 2.09, 4, 5.08, 6.37, 8.38, 10.33 PM.
Neponset, 6.45, 7.30, 8.20, 9.30, 10.15, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 12.40, 1.50, 2.30, 3.32, 4.05, 5, 5.30*f*, 5.32, 6.15, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM. **Return,** 6.17, 7.05, 7.47, 8.09, 8.37, 9.13, 9.52, 10.43, 11.08 AM; 12.19, 12.50, 2.17, 4.07, 5.16, 6.02, 6.43, 8.45, 10.39 PM.
Harrison Square, 6.45, 7.30, 8.20, 9, 9.30, 10.15, 10.50 AM; 12 M; 12.40, 1, 1.50, 3, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30, 5.05, 5.32, 6.05, 6.25, 7, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 PM.—**Return,** 6.23, 7.11, 7.51, 8.15, 9.03, 9.18, 9.56, 10.32, 11.12 AM; 12.54, 2.07, 2.21, 4.12, 5.20, 6.12, 6.47, 8.53, 10.43 PM.
West Quincy, 7.45, 9.30 AM; 12.40, 2.30, 5, 6.15 PM. **Return,** 6.48, 7.54, 8.50, 10.53 AM; 2.5, 6.17 PM.
Milton Lower Mills, 6.45, 7.30, 9, (10.15 via Neponset) AM; 1, 3, 4.05, (5.30 via Neponset,) 6.25, 9.30*a*, 11.15*e* PM. **Return,** 6.06, 6.54, 7.59, (8.31 via Neponset,) 8.49, 10.18 AM; (12.42 via Neponset,) 1.53, 3.37, (5.05 via Neponset,) 5.58, 8.57*a*, 10.27*e* PM.
Field's Corner and Ashmont, 6.45, 7.30, 9 AM; 1, 3, 4.05, 5.05, 6.25, 9.30*a*, 11.15*e* PM. **Return, Field's Corner,** 6.18, 7.06, 8.10, 9, 10.29 AM; 2.04, 4.08, 6.09, 8.48*a*, 10.38*e* PM. **Return, Ashmont,** 6.12, 7, 8.04, 8.54, 10.23 AM; 1.58, 4.02, 6.03, 8.42*a*, 10.32*e* PM.
Sandwich, 8 AM; 4, 6.05*g* PM. **Return,** 6*d*, 7.46 AM; 2.43 PM.
Hyannis, 8 AM; 4, 6.05*g* PM. **Return,** 5.15*d*, 7 AM; 1.53 PM.
Provincetown, 8 AM; 4 PM. **Return,** 5.15, 11 AM.
Wood's Holl, 8, 11.15 AM; 4 PM. **Return,** 7.30, 11 AM; 2.20, 5 PM.
Martha's Vineyard, 8, 11.15 AM; 4 PM.
Nantucket, 11.15 AM, Wednesdays and Saturdays excepted; 4 PM, Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

New York, 7 PM.
Fall River, via Bridgewater, 5 PM; **Return,** via Taunton 5.30*h* AM; via Bridgewater 7.50 AM.
South Braintree, 5.45, 8.15 AM; 12.45, 5 PM. **Return** (South Braintree), 9.18 AM; 1.43, 6, 8.18 PM.
Milton, Mattapan & Shawmut Branch, 1, 5.30, 10.00 PM. **Return** (Milton), 9.32 AM; 2.19, 6.29 PM.
Weymouth, Hingham, Nantasket, Cohasset, D. & C. R. R., Plymouth, 8.45 AM. **Return, Plymouth,** 3.50 PM., Cohasset, 5 PM. Nantasket 5.05 PM. Hingham, 5.12 PM, E. Weymouth 5.20, Weymouth, 5.29.
Oak Bluffs, Nantucket and Hyannis, 5.45 AM. Return, Hyannis, 5.30 PM, Nantucket 2.15 PM, Oak Bluffs, 5 PM.

a Thursdays excepted; *e* Thursdays only; *f* stops only to leave passengers; *g* Saturdays only; *d* Mondays only; *h* or on arrival of boat from New York.

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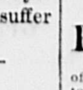

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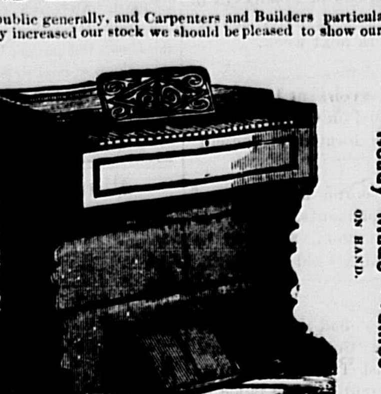

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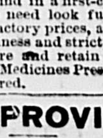

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